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ASKS FOR CANNON

CONG. BOOHER WRITES HE WILL TRY TO GET WAR TROPHIES

LETTIR FROM SPENCER

Advises County Court He Has Asked That Missouri Be Given at Least 50 When Distribution Is Made.

Through the efforts of Congressman C. F. Booher, Maryville may be the recipient of a German cannon captured in the war. Following a letter to Mr. Booher some weeks ago by members of the county coure asking that steps be taken to secure one of these war trophies for the county, he wrrites that he has officially asked that when these war trophies are distributed, that the Maryville Normal school, Tarkio colege, St. Joseph high school and Andrew county be each given one.

The county court also wrote Senator Spencer and Senator Reed asking their aid in seciring a cannon for this county. Senator Spencer in a letter just received writes that he has introduced a bill providing that Missouri shall be given at least fifty German war cannon. No reply has as yet been received from Senator Reed.

IS READY TO COME HOME

Albert Moore Writes He Has Seen All of "That Country" He Cares to.

In a leter from Albert Moore, with the American Army of Occupation to his friend Albert Mercer, he writes as follows:

Kemprinsh, Germany, Feb. 2.—Dear Old Pal—I will write you this Sabbath day—and by the way I went to church. Of course I couldn't tell much about the sermon, but I guess it was all right at that. They sure have some fine churches here. I just got back from taking a bath—one every month or two won't hurt anybody—that is about as often as we get the chance, we have been moving around so much. We are going to leave here the 6th of this month—going back to where we were when they brought us here for maneuvers, they have them about once a month and they can't get along without the Signal Corps for you see we have lots of wire to string and some times we have to send signals—that is what we call talking with our hands. Maybe we will be two or three miles apart and then the signals come in handy for we can tell them what we want as well as if we could talk to them. I think they will let us come home soon. They can do it any time they get ready for I have seen all of this country I care to. I haven't had any mail for nearly four months. The captain told me to have patience and I told him what it took to wait and that I was broke. Well, no more until I get home and then I will have plenty to tell you.

ALBERT MOORE,
Co. C, 8th Field Signal Battalion.

TO 2 ABOVE THIS MORNING.

Went to 2 Below Yesterday—8 Above Was Highest Temperature Recorded.

February broke some records on the last day of the month when the thermometer dropped to 2 below yesterday; eight above was the highest point reached by the mercury. The weather office reported four above zero this morning. Warmer weather is forecast for tonight and tomorrow, the storm having been broken over all the territory.

Odd Fellows Attention

All members of White Cloud Lodge No. 92 and all visiting brothers are requested to meet at the hall Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock to attend the funeral of Brother John Brewin.

DANCING

Monday and Tuesday Night
K. of C. Hall
Schumacher's
Four Piece Orchestra
Mrs. Will Foster

M. H. S. I[illegible] TO KING CITY

State Historical Society COLUMBIA

Were on [illegible] 20 Score in Game Play[illegible]ght—Team B[illegible]

Due to hard luck or [illegible]forseen cause, the M. H. S. [illegible]e on the short end of a 25-20 sco[illegible] game played at King City last night. The M. H. S. players were confident of their ability to repeat the trick they turned with King City when the latter team played here, but something "turned up." Just what it was will not be definitely known until the team returns this evening. Coach Zeigler did not make the trip, his place being taken by Prof. R. E. Peasley.

The only report of the game was received in a wire which gave the score.

SIX MILLION CARS IN THE U. S.

Missouri Has Between One and Two Hundred Thousand—Eighteen States Exceed 100,000.

Practically six million motor vehicles were in use in the United States by the first of the year, as revealed by the automobile registration in the various states. The actual total, according to the latest figures, was 5, 945, 442 vehicles. On January 1, 1918, statistics showed that this country had a trifle less than 5 million—so that the increase during the last year, despite the war conditions, higher prices and the storage of many cars, was a million vehicles. This in itself is a remarkable indication of national economic strength under the many financial and personal war burdens.

Increase in motor car registration is an evidence of a growing modernization of conditions and of the degree in which the wealth of the population is growing. Therefore, automobile statistics have come to be considered during recent years somewhat like iron and steel reports; and if closely studied they reveal even more interesting facts than these metallurgical statistics.

Eighteen states now show a registration in excess of one hundred thousand. New York still leads, the latest figures of Hugo giving the state a close second, having passed the four hundred thousand mark during the year. Illinois, Pennsylvania and Iowa have between three hundred thousand and four hundred thousand; California, Michigan, Texas, Indiana and Minnesota between two hundred thousand and three hundred thousand, and Wisconsin, Kansas, Missouri, Massachusetts, Nebraska, New Jersey, Oklahoma and Washington between one hundred thousand and two hundred thousand vehicles. Thus, five states in the West, eight in the Middle West and one in the Southwest are ranged with four Eastern states as leading users of automobiles.

MUST CONTINUE RED CROSS.

The Trained Workers Should Keep Up Activities, Says Henry P. Davison.

Washington, March 1.—The army of Red Cross workers recruited and trained during the war must continue their activities for the present, Henry P. Davison, chairman of the war council of the American Red Cross, declared in a statement issued last night in behalf of the council, which passes out of existence tomorrow. Tentative control of the organization will be assumed by Dr. Livingston Farrand, the new chairman of the central committee.

HALASEY FUNERAL TODAY.

Services Held at St. Patrick's Church This Morning.

Funeral services for Mrs. Johanna Halasey, who died Friday, were held at 9 o'clock this morning at St. Patrick's church, conducted by the Rev. Father Niemann. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery.

The pall bearers were John Murrin, Tab McDowell, James Murphy, Ab Kinsley, Jerry Vaughn and Pat Tobin.

PROTZMAN FUNERAL TOMORROW

Short Services Will be Held at St. Mary's Cemetery.

The funeral services for Miss Agnes Protzman, who died yesterday morning will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at St. Mary's cemetery, conducted by the Rev. Father Odillo.

DAVE SECKINGTON IN STATES

Wife Receives Message of Arrival at Newport News Yesterday.

Mrs. D. K. Seckington received a message this morning from her husband, saying he had arrived at Newport News, Va., yesterday afternoon. Young Seckington was attached to the 89th Division and was sent over seas early last June. He was later taken out of that division and placed in the candidates training school where he has been for several months.

Depend on our Want Ad. Column.

ASK SUGGESTIONS

COMMITTEE NAMED TO SECURE DATA ON WAR MEMORIAL

TWP. DELEGATES ABSENT

Unfortunate Selection of Date of the Meeting and Bad Roads Cuts Attendance—Another Meeting Soon.

At the second meeting of representatives of the various organizations interested in securing a war memorial at the court house this afternoon it was decided that a committee be named to secure suggestions as to the nature of a memorial from any person or persons in the county and to collect such data along this line as might be of aid in later plans that may be made.

Delegates from three townships that advised that representatives would be sent were not present and it was the sense of the meeting that they be asked again to attend and take a part in determining what kind of a memorial Nodaway county should build and help with ways and means to secure it. The next meeting will be at the call of the committee on suggestions that will be appointed next week by Chairman W. O. Garrett.

No representatives from other than the organizations that sent delegates to the first meeting were present and no word was received from those named in Lincoln, Hughes and Nodaway townships were received. Bad roads, the first of the month and the meeting being on Saturday afternoon was doubtless the reason for their not being present.

JOHN W. BREWIN, 40, DEAD

Young Farmer Passes Away Late Yesterday Afternoon at Hospital—Funeral Tomorrow at Methodist Church.

John William Brewin, 40 years old, living south of the city, died yesterday afternoon at St. Francis hospital. Mr. Brewin's death was due to acute pericarditis.

The funeral services will be held at three o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the First Methodist church, conducted by Dr. Gilbert S. Cox.

The services will be under the direction of the Odd Fellows Lodge of which Mr. Brewin was a member.

ENDORSE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

State Senate Adopts Resolutions Favoring Entrance of the United States Into the League.

Jefferson City, March 1.—By a vote of 26 to 5, the Goodson resolution endorsing the league of nations was adopted by the senate late yesterday after discussion continuing through two sessions. The gist of the resolution is contained in the following excerpt:

"Be it resolved by the senate, the house of representatives concurring therein, that we favor the entrance of the United States into such a league (league of nations), believing this to be America's greatest opportunity to promote the cause of civilization and clinch the victory won."

An amendment by Senator Gray of Jasper, providing that no American principles be surrendered if America endorses the league, was lost without a roll call.

MANN VICTOR IN DEFEAT.

Turns Tables on Gillett Forces in Organization Plans.

Washington, March 1.—Representative James R. Mann of Illinois, defeated in the Republican House caucus last night for speakership of the Sixty-sixth Congress, has completely turned the tables on the Gillett forces in plans for organization of the new House, and today remains the dominating factor in control of machinery to name the committees.

Although Mr. Mann said yesterday he did not want to accept the floor leadership, it was freely predicted that the new committee on committees would elect him chairman and that floor leadership would be thrust upon him when the new Congress convenes.

Show Missionary Pictures.

The Primary and Junior Departments of the First M. E. Sunday School will be entertained at the church tonight at seven o'clock when missionary pictures will be shown on the screen. The pictures will portray the life and work of Dr. Mary Stone, a missionary to China. There will be no admission charge.

PLOTTERS ARE STILL ACTIVE

Failing in "Policy of Murder," Pan-Germans Seek by Propaganda to Rehabilitate Ludendorff.

Amsterdam, Mar. 1.—Failing in a "policy of murder," as was shown in the case of the assassination of former Premier Kurt Eisener of Bavaria, pan-Germans are attempting by propaganda to rehabilitate General Ludendorff. It is known that plotting is going on to overthrow the republic and again set up a monarchy.

General Ludendorff, in an interview with the Telegraph Union at Berlin, said he was eager to use his talents against the Spartacides. He praised the ex-kaiser, but criticized the former crown prince as a pacifist. He said he knew that Germany was beaten in the war last August.

HAD TO SEEK WARMER OFFICE

Court House Officials Driven From Their Rooms by Cold Weather—Old Building in Bad Repair.

County officials whose offices are on the north and west side of the court house found their rooms almost untenable yesterday, the cold wind getting in at every crevice—and there are plenty of them. Judge Dawson and Prosecutor McCaffrey were unable to occupy their offices on the second floor, while downstairs rooms on the west side were equally uncomfortable.

The old building is getting into a bad state of repair with leaks in many places and windows and doors almost useless in keeping out the wind. Jurors and witnesses who must attend court are loud in their complaint of the conveniences afforded. The sentiment in favor of a new and modern court house is rapidly growing and it may not be long until a movement is set afoot to secure one.

PHOTOS OF SOLDIER GRAVES

Pictures of Last Resting Places of Americans To Be Sent To Relatives by Red Cross Society.

Washington, March 1. — Plans have been perfected by the American Red Cross whereby photographs of the identified graves of American soldiers in France will be sent to the relatives of the heroes in this country. Several hundred such photographs have already been forwarded to the families of men who died in service overseas, and an announcement from Red Cross Headquarters says that the work of obtaining photographs has been speeded up to the point where production from now on is expected to reach about 7,000 every month. The photograph is sent to the dead soldier's next of kin.

The Red Cross has taken over the task of photographing the graves at the request of the War Department and is acting under the authority of Lieutenant-Colonel C. C. Pierce, of the Graves Registration Service. The headquarters of the service is at Tours, France. Each photograph is mounted in a cardboard folding frame, one side of which contains data concerning the dead soldier.

While all requests for such photographs should be forwarded to the Bureau of Communications of the American Red Cross, and not to the Graves Registration Service of the Army, such requests are not really necessary and will not hurry the receipt of the photograph. Neither will special requests receive any special consideration. Every identified grave in France is to be photographed under a plan worked out by the army and the photographers will not be permitted to deviate from this arrangement in order to take the picture of any particular grave. The American Red Cross will forward the photographs to relatives as soon as they are received at headquarters.

VITAL QUESTIONS NOW UP.

Peace Conference Expected to Reach Early Settlement of Problems.

Paris, March 1.—The Peace Conference plans to reach agreements on the more important questions between March 8 and March 15, Capt. Andre Tardieu, one of the French delegates, told foreign newspaper correspondents yesterday. He said the conference had four vital problems to solve—the Franco-German Frontier; the Adriatic situation, the Russian Frontier and the question of freedom of the seas. All these questions probably will be completed in a fortnight.

Captain Tardieu declared France does not desire to annex the left bank of the Rhine, but only wants guarantees which will prevent Germany from using it as a base for attacking France. The Russian question, he added, will be considered last next week.

TO SETTLE DISPUTE

PEACE CONFERENCE TO TAKE HAND IN ITALIAN QUARREL

WILL MARK A BOUNDARY

And Both Sides Will Be Sternly Warned To Keep on Their Own Side—Action as Soon as Wilson Gets Back.

Paris, March 1.—Immediately upon the returnr of President Wilson and Lloyd George to Paris strong action will be taken by the peace conference in the Italian-Jugo-Slav dispute. A provisional boundary will be drawn and both parties will be sternly warned to keep on their own side of the line. There has been attempts by both sides to the quarrel to enlist the sympathy of the powers at the peace missions, but the delegates decline to be influenced by special pleading.

WANTS LETTERS FROM HOME.

Charles Hosher Says Home News Is the Best Gift for Soldiers.

William Hosher, living south of the city, has received the following letter from his son, Charles Hosher, with the American army in France. Charles is expecting to be moved from his present station soon, but the destination is uncertain:

France, Jan. 20.

Dearest Father: Received your letter today, maybe you think I wasn't glad to receive it. Have only received four from the States since Olt. 29. Had a letter from Earl McCleave this evening. He don't think he will get to come home soon. I stand a little show of getting to go somewhere, for will leave here one day this week. Lord only knows where I will go, but I don't care. Was sorry to hear of Warren Reakseeker's death. First I had heard of it. He was a mighty fine boy. I hope Faye Corrough was not wounded bad. George Meeks' death was sure sad news. And Jennie Dobbins, I expect I knew her better than you folks did, she was a good girl. People would think us boys have seen so much of it that we don't give it a thought, but it does hurt. I have seen them knocked off by the dozen and never pay any attention but just to hear of one of the home folks it makes a person stop and think. You spoke of the flu. Well I have had mine, but you have got to take care of yourself. I used to think my room cold, but the buggy shed on the north side of the barn would be a mansion to me now. That may sound big to you, but it is true. We have a little straw in the middle of a shed about sixty feet long and a straw mattress to lay on, with four blankets. I use my rain coat and overcoat for extra covers. And our grub is tough. Now I am not trying to make you think I am dying for I feel fine and dandy. We have a four days' ride from here to La Mons. We go from here to Dijon, then to Tours, that is close to Brest—you have heard of that place. I was there once. I want to go to Paris if I get a chance. * * * * I will soon have a new home and expect to send you a telegram from where I land, giving you my address. I want some letters from home. Don't care for presents half so much as letters. * * *

CANDIDATE CHARLES HOSHER,
12th Co., 3rd Bat., Army Candidate School., A. E. F., A. P. O. 714.

THE EX-KAISER WANTS MONEY

Request for Portion of His Private Fortune Granted—Was Allowed 600,000 Marks.

Weimar, March 1.—The former German emperor, it is learned from competent sources ,recently appealed to the German revolutionary government for money. It was said in his behalf that it was impossible for him to continue living upon the bounty and good will of the Dutch nobleman in whose castle he now resides.

Herr Hohenzollern, it is said, declared he already had been forced to borrow forty thousand guilders from his host and could not continue as a debtor. He asked that he be allowed at least a portion of his private fortune.

The government, after considering the matter, agreed to his request and instituted a detailed investigation to determine what portion of the former emperor's supposed fortune really was his and what portion belonged to the government. Investigation showed that the former ruler might legally claim 75 million marks as his own, but the government decided to allow him temporarily only six hundred thousand marks to meet present indebtedness and future expenses.

BLIZZARD DOES MUCH DAMAGE

Stock and Crops Throughout Rocky Mountain Region Suffer—Trains Tied up by Snowslides.

Denver, March 1.—One man is dead, a heavy loss of range herds throughout the Rocky Mountain region, hundred thousands of dollars damage to railroads through snowslides, delays and destruction of perishable fruit, several trains tied up by snowdrifts, all mails late and wire service badly crippled as a result of the third blizzard of the season.

A WEATHER RECORD SPOILED

February Weather Was Normal, But a Blizzard on Last Day Brought Below Zero Back.

The February good weather record was spoiled by the blizzard yesterday when the temperature went down to one below zero. With that exception, the temperature of the month was quite uniform, the mean temperature being 30½, being the highest with the exception of February, 1899, when it was 32.6, according to the records of Weather Observer Brink.

The highest temperature was recorded on February 11, when it went to 62.

Rain and melted snow totaled 2.65 inches. The total snow fall was 5 inches. There were thirteen clear days four partly cloudy and eleven cloudy.

NAIL A FALSE CLAIM OF "WETS."

Search of Private Homes Permissible Only When Used for Sale of Booze.

Jefferson City, March 1.—One lie from "wet" lips was nailed yesterday by J. Elmer Ball, attorney for the Anti-Saloon League, when he issued a statement explaining the provisions of the Honest Enforcement Bill now pending in the legislature. The measure is aimed to furnish methods by which Missouri can enforce national prohibition within the state, the federal bone dry amendment having contained a clause providing the several states should be empowered to enact legislation to assist the government in carrying out the provisions of the national prohibition.

"The wets in the senate charge the enforcement bill will permit officers to harass citizens in Missouri and enable personal enemies to invade private homes in search for booze," Ball said last night. "They are laboring to create a sentiment that the Missouri Anti-Saloon League is trying to force the passage of a law that will be obnoxious to the best citizens of our state.

"The search and seizures provision in the prohibition enforcement bill does not enlarge the power of our circuit courts, but merely makes the remedy of search and seizure applicable to the illegal traffic in intoxicating liquors. Under the terms of this portion of the bill, the courts of Missouri are permitted to cause their officers to seize intoxicating liquors manufactured, sold, held or transported in violation of law, under the limitations and provisions of the constitution of Missouri and the constitution of the United States. No search warrant is permitted to be issued for the search of private dwellings unless they are used for the purpose of trafficking in intoxicating liquors in violation of the law.

DISTURBANCES AT MUNICH AGAIN

Berlin, Mar. 1.—Serious disturbances have again broken out at Munich and government troops have occupied the law courts buildings. Majority socialists at Munich are appealing to the workmen not to join the general strike. The Gerstenberg division of the German army have occupied Hanborn and one hundred and sixteen Spartacides have been arrested there.

RUSSIA LOST MOST

BATTLE TOLL OF ALL NATIONS WAS 7 MILLIONS

GERMANS LOST 1,700,000

General March, Chief of Staff, Makes Public Losses Sustained by Various Countries in War.

Washington, March 1. — Deaths in battle toll in great battles was seven million, two hundred and fifty-four thousands, according to figures made public by Chief of Staff General March today. That is the total number of men killed in action and died from wounds received in battle. The United States suffered the least of battle killed while Russia suffered the greatest. Russia suffered a million and seven hundred thousand, Germany a million six hundred thousand, France a million, three hundred eighty-five thousand, Austria eight hundred thousand, England seven hundred and six thousand, seven hundred, Italy four hundred sixty thousand, Belgium a hundred and two thousand.

The United States lost fifty thousand. March revealed that the American troops are to be removed from the scene of reported friction between the Italian and the Jugo-Slav troops.

SUFFRAGE HAS A CHANCE.

Washington, Mar. 1.—Senator Gay, of Louisiana, announced today he would support and vote for suffrage resolution introduced in the senate yesterday by Senator Jones. Gay's vote would give suffrage supporters the one vote necessary to pass the amendment through the senate if they are able to bring it to a vote.

SCHEIDEMAN HAS RESIGNED.

London, Mar. 1. — Phillip Scheidemann, chancellor of Germany, has resigned, according to advices. Holland dispatches state increased revolutionary movements imminent in Germany.

MARTIAL LAW IN MADRID.

Madrid, Mach 1.—Martial law was proclaimed today. Riots broke out and a number of people were wounded by gendarmes when food shops were stormed.

WILSON TO ADDRESS GOVERNORS.

Washington, March 1.—The President will deliver an address at the opening session of the conference of governors and mayors which will convene here Monday it was announced at the White House today.

John Mutz Back in States.

A telegram from John Mutz to his parents this morning gave the welcome information that he had arrived in Newport News from overseas service. He did not state when he expected to be discharged or furloughed home.

Goes to See New Son.

Dr. W. W. Turner left this morning for Petersburg, Ill., where he will remain for several days getting acquainted with a new son, who arrived some days ago. Mrs. Turner, who is visiting at the home of her parents, will return to Maryville within a few weeks.

Visiting in St. Louis.

O. C. Wallace, operator and ticket seller at the Burlington station, went to St. Louis today to spend a few days visiting relatives. Mrs. Wallace and their young son, John Curtis, went to St. Louis a week ago and will return with Mr. Wallace.

WEATHER FOR TODAY

Generally fair tonight and Sunday except light snow and warmer tonight.

Basket Ball Tonight

High School Girls vs. King City Girls

Normal Gymnasium 8 p. m.
Admission 35 cents
This may be the last game of the season

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
11c and 17c

A Blue Bird Feature,
Ruth Clifford
—in—
The Lure of Luxury

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I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of collector for Polk township, suubject to the action of the Democratic nominating committee.

S. B. WILLIAMS.

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I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of collector for Polk township, subject to the action of the republican nominating convention.

ELMER W. BARROCK.

For Township Collector

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of collector of Polk township, subject to e action of the Republican nominating convention.

LEWIS E. WHITE.

For Township Collector.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of township collector for Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

FRANK G, SHOEMAKER.

For Township Colelctor.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of collector of Polk ownship, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

HERSCHEL E. WILES.

For Township Collector.

HOWARD ("DICK") STRONG hereby announces his candidacy for the nomination for the office of Collector of Polk Township, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

For Township Assessor.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of assessor of Polk township subject to the action of the Democratic township convention.

ROBERT ALEY.

For County Superintendent of Schools.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Bert Cooper for County Superintendent of Schools of Nodaway County, subject to the action of the voters at the election to be held Tuesday, April 1.

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We are authorized to announce the candidacy of J. W. Pierce for County Superintendent of Schools of Nodaway County, subject to the action of the voters at the election to be held Tuesday, April 1.

FOR TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR.

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ANDY H. PRIDE.

For Township Assessor.

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H. W. HULL.

TO INVOKE REFERENDUM

St. Louis Plans Fight Against Ratification of "Dry" Amendment.

St. Louis, March 1.—A campaign to invoke the referendum on the recent ratification by the state legislature of the national prohibition amendment was begun yesterday by eighteen civic organizations here. A delegation will be appointed to go to Jefferson City to obtain legal advice on the matter, it was said.

Signatures of 5 per cent of the voters in two-thirds of the congressional districts of the state are needed to call an election, according to Missouri statutes. The petition must be filed with the Secretary of State within ninety days of the date of the ratification.

The smallest coin ever issued was the "mite." They were current in Asia Minor, and called "beggars' money," being chiefly used for almsgiving.

The Roman signal for battle was the unfurling of a red flag. The white flag is a token of peace in every part of the world.

Wild canaries were not yellow originally, but green or gray in color.

CHANCE FOR COAL EXCHANGE

Britain Has Too Much Anthracite and New York Has a Surplus of Bituminous.

In England the coal controller is trying to induce the people to burn anthracite in place of bituminous coal. He offers to exchange two tons of large anthracite for every ton of bituminous coal that consumers have on hand. In the eastern United States the fuel administration has been trying to get consumers to use bituminous coal in place of anthracite. Welsh anthracite mines are operating on part time, while English and Welsh bituminous coal mines are working overtime, says the New York Commercial.

This would be a fine chance for exchange of products if shipping were available, and it soon will be. New York city needs anthracite and can get a surplus of bituminous coal. England needs the latter and can spare the former. In England most of the people do not know how to burn anthracite. New Yorkers are ignorant of the way to use bituminous coal. The English persist in using open grates for heating rooms, and find it hard to make anthracite burn in them. In New York the open grate is found only in the homes of the wealthy. England shivers with plenty of anthracite in sight, while New York is threatened with a famine of domestic sizes of anthracite. Each regards the other as pig-headed because neither knows how to use the fuel available. It's an odd world.

WELCOME DEATH'S COLD HAND

Little Wonder That Men Who Realize Their Appalling Loneliness Should End It All.

Alone. Not a living soul near to whom to speak. Forsaken it seems almost by God, whose presence scarce can penetrate the confused jangle of the city slums. Alone and penniless, with none to know or care. It is a harder lot by far than death. What wonder that men die?

Alone—with bitter thoughts of failure crowding through the interstices of a sluggish brain. Alone—with not even two coins to rub in warming friction, clammy hands thrust into empty pockets. It is hard to live and doubly hard to die. What wonder that men kill that breathing, pulsing thing within we call life? What wonder that men pass by their own hand from living death to deathless living?

They come and stay with us a while—and pass, defying God and man, themselves defied. And only they whose hearts beat with a richer, warmer, redder blood will understand.—Milwaukee Journal.

Patti's Beauty Vanishes.

According to a writer in Everybody's Magazine, "Patti lives, not only in our hearts, but really, in the flesh, at the age of seventy-six, in her magnificent castle of Craig-y-Nos, ten miles north of Swansea, in South Wales, on which she has spent quite half a million. She lives there with her third husband, Baron Cederstrom, and sometimes, when they feel inclined, they throw open their theater, a replica of the Baireuth theater, to the countryside and give one of the operas in which Patti once thrilled the world. Until recently Patti was even sometimes prevailed upon to appear at Albert hall in London for the benefit of some charity, but her beauty is quite gone—it vanished far earlier than her voice—and so for the most part she is happiest in her Welsh fastnesses among the neighbors, who will always call her the 'Queen of Wales.'"

Dutch Select Wireless Site.

The site for the wireless station intended for communication between the Netherlands and the Dutch East Indies has finally been decided on. The Koelberg hill, which is 86 meters high and located in Hoog-Buurlo, near Apeldoorn, was selected, according to the Scientific American.

A new railway line will be constructed from Kaatwyk. The station is to have four towers, each 210 meters high, a large power house and building for housing the operatives. The communicating station in India is to be built near Bandoeng in the Preanger, so that the distance between the two stations will be some 11,000 kilometers.

Ancient Rock Engravings.

The prehistoric art museum lately revealed in Montesqui-Avantes, Ariege, southern France, contains rock engravings estimated to be 30,000 years old. Continuing the exploration interrupted by the war, Count Begouen and his three sons discovered on the inner walls of the cavern a bas relief of a real lion, with numerous figures of reindeers, bisons, horses, bears, elephants, rhinoceroses, and such birds as ducks and swans. Strangest of all is a silhouette of a powerful man, with thick neck, distinctly human limbs, feet and hands, and a tail, and represented walking on all fours.

Prepare for Another Day.

Prepare today for the morrow. It is the only way to advance rapidly and with success. He best succeeds who, in advance to demand, knows his abilities and shortcoming, who is able best to estimate his capacity for production, mental or physical. Prepare incessantly for promotion, and promotion must come. Neglect to prepare for the future, and there will be no future. It is such neglect that has spelled stagnation for millions in the past, that will spell stagnation for millions in the future.—Milwaukee Journal.

NEWS FROM
NODAWAY COUNTY TOWNS

Sergeant James H. Martindale, who has been stationed at Camp Funston, for the past eighteen months, returned to his home in Clyde Monday morning, having been honorably discharged from the service.

C. R. Lamar and George Colvin of Elmo, two prominent citizens, went this week to Mayo Brothers hospital at Rochester, Minn., for surgical help.

Elba Hagan sold his tract of 16 acres lying northeast of Barnard Thursday morning to John R. Love of Springfield, Tenn. Possession will be given May 1. Mr. Love purchased this property with a view of dividing it up into town lots and selling them at auction thus making an addition to Barnard.

Mrs. W. L. Gilbert of Barnard was taken to St. Joseph and operated on Tuesday, a 25 pound tumor being removed from her side. The report Wednesday morning was that she was pretty low but had a chance of recovering. She is about 74 years old.

Mrs. Lola Stonehocker conveyed lots 7 and 8 in block 7 in the town of Guilford to Mrs. Emma Conlin, consideration $900. Mrs. Conlin has moved in and intends to make this her home.

Mrs. Bertha Demann and daughter Barbara of Vermillion, S. D., came to Guilford Tuesday to make her home with her father Wm. McKee. Her husband died a few months ago.

An enthusiastic meeting of business men and citizens of Burlington Junction, was held in the director's room of the Northwestern bank Monday after noon to discuss paving Main street. The meeting was quite well attended, a number of property owners being represented, and all were in favor of paving. It was decided that an estimate on the actual cost of grading, curb and paving work would be essenital before the matter wa staken before the property owners, and the chairman of the meeting appointed a property owner from each of the three blocks, where the proposed work will be done, to get estimates on the construction J. W. Praiswater, R. E. Caudle and T. A. Corken were the men appointed on this committee. As it is planned now, an effort will be made to have three blocks paved, beginning at the Caudle, Lincoln and Co. corner and extending to the M. L. Sewell residence corner. These are the blocks which need the improvement the most, as they are shaded by the business houses and it is absolutely impossible to keep them in condition during the winter months. If the proposition is regarded favorably by property owners further out it will be a splendid plan to extend the paving this summer for it is bound to come later, this being the history of all towns.

H. A. Smith, who has been manager of Rankin ranch 8 west of Burlington Junction made the biggest shipment of hogs from the local yards Tuesday that has been made by one man for many years. There were 535 head in the shipment and Mr. Smith, with five helpers, started the hogs from the ranch at daylight Tuesday morning, reaching the yards with them about noon. He called for help as he needed along the way, several neighbors assisting him in getting the big herd to town. N. Grimsley was one of his helpers, and even brought his trained dog along. Mr. Smith shipped the hogs to St. Louis, six stock cars being required for them. They averaged 200 pounds each and should bring, at present market prices, over $18,000. The owner went with the shipment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Myrick, who have been spending the past year in Los Angeles, will leave that city Saturday for Burlington Junction. They expect to stop at Holdrege, Neb., for a short visit with their daughter, Mrs. C. B. Sewell and family, and will probably arrive here the last of next week.

G. W. Clary is moving to Clearmont, to the fine residence he recently purchased of Henry Weber on South Pine.

James C. Ware has rented his 200-acre farm southeast of Burlington Junction to John Dickey, who has been farming the Grant Taylor place.

Bob Allman came to Parnell from Dallas, Texas, last Friday on a visit with old friends. Bob was a sailor during the early part of the war but the boat he was on was sunk by a mine and a torpedo from a submarine. He was eight hours in the water before he was rescued. When taken to a hospital in England it was found he had three ribs broken. He is now attending a school at Dallas, Texas.

Charley Harman is now the owner of the garage building at Parnell. he is occuping. Roof & LaFavor recently sold to D. Seyster and the latter sold it to Mr. Harman.

A deal was made a few days ago whereby Wesley Barrett of Skidmore, became the owner of the Robert Barrett property known as River Hill, just west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whitlock of Barnard, left Monday for Augusta, Kansas, where Mr. Whitlock has a position with the Empire Gas and Fuel Co. Whitlock has been in the army and was discharged recently.

L. D. Carter and family of Burlington Junction are moving to western Nebraska where they expect to make their future home. Lem was out in that country last fall and bought a quarter section farm. Part of it is irrigated. His brother, Robt. Carter, lives in the same section of the country and has been doing well there.

Frank Robbins, a brother of Miss Grace Robbins of Hopkins, expects to receive his discharge this week and return to opkins for a visit with friends and relatives. Frank was a member of the Rainbow division until he was wounded when he returned to the United States with a casualty company.

Charley Northover is putting a milk route on in Hopkins, his dairy to be known as Sunny Heights. He has a fine herd of Holstein cows and is located two miles south of Hopkins.

Doc Ellis, the efficient light plant man of Hopkins, received a shock from a live wire last Friday morning which luckily did not prove fatal. At the time he was standing on a low box, working with the switch board, when the box turned over with him and his shoulder came in contact with the wire. He lay for perhaps a half hour before he was able to call Dr. Kirk to his assistance. He is now about his work again and the results of the accident are not so serious as were at first feared.

Last week J. T. Disney of Hopkins sold his residence property to Wm. King, who will sell or rent the property he now occupies in the south part of town, to occupy his newly acquired home. The price paid for the Disney property was $3,000. Mr. and Mrs. Disney are busy packing their goods and will leave next Tuesday for Laclede, Mo., to make their future home. They have been residents of Hopkins for many years and have many friends who are sorry to have them leave, but wish them the best of success and happiness in their new home. Mr. Disney is recovering from an operation for a tumor on his neck but it will be a year or more before he is able to actively engage in business again.

Wm. Chaney and wife of Hopkins are packing their goods preparatory to moving to Glen Elder, Kansas, where he will have charge of the big grain elevator of that place. Glen Elder is a town about the size of Hopkins, located 200 miles west of Atchison, and has a mile or more of paved streets. Mr. Chaney is not a stranger in the town, having been head miller of the Glen Elder mills some twenty years ago, so it will not be like going as a stranger to a strange land. "Bill" knows the mill and elevator business from "a to izzard," and will draw a handsome salary.

George W. Collins of Skidmore, returned Monday morning from Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, where he had been since last Friday visiting with his son, Clyde, who has returned from overseas and is now in the hospital at the Barracks recovering from an attack of bronchitis he suffered since arriving on this side. While in France Clyde was in some of the hardest fighting of the war and was quite badly gassed from which he has, in a measure, recovered. Mr. Collins found him in much better condition than he had anticipated, his face being almost free from any evidence of scars from the burns he received. He now weighs 139 pounds only about 10 pounds less than his normal weight. When he left his bed in the hospital in France he weighed only 100 pounds and has made 39 pounds gain since that time. If he suffers no relapse from his bronchial trouble he will probably be released in a week or such a matter.

Forum-ettes

A certain well known Maryville man was being introduced at a recent event and said to one of the young ladies to when he was presented: "I seem to know your face, but I can't place you." "You mean," she replied, "you know the place, but you can't face me."

A high school student who has to write an essay on the League of Nations comes to this colm for information on the general nature of leagues and something historical that he can weave into his essay. He comes to the right source. If there is any one thing more than another where we shine it is on the subject of leagues in general, anl we are always glad to help the youth. Historically speaking the first account of such an organization was league which was formed in the Garden of Eden. Adam, Eve and the Serpent were charter members. The Serpent was the first to conceive the idea and it has a sort of snakey affair ever since. He broached the subject to Adam and Eve got wind of it and insisted on being made a member, and ever since then women have been in it. It was not a financial success because Eve worked a scheme by which she became president and in time the league died. But the league idea took root and in bewildering succession league after league was formed Men became joiners of everything that came along until there were leagues of many kinds. Among the earlier leagues was the "half a league, half a league onward." Then came the Epworth League, which for a time had a big run and became quite popular, but the most popular of all leagues was the American and National leagues. But leagues may come and leagues may go, but the League of Nations bids fair to go on forever. We could give an extended account of the rise and fall of leagues, but we believe this will be sufficient to start the H. S. student on a profitable research. He will find something of interest on the subject in a historical work entitled, "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea."

"When is a man drunk," is a question an Arkansas justice of the peace is called on to decide in a liquor case. Frank Reuillard says it is the experience of his younger and more rollicking days that when a man insisted on kissing the bar keeper good night, he may be said to be drunk, but not before.

So long as there is no report that Switzerland is short on holes for the Swiss cheese, we should worry.

In six days the Lord "created the earth." But that wasn't such an all fired big job. All it required was a little mud mixed with criticism.

BUILD COUNTY SALE PAVILION

To Stimulate Live Stock Raising Is Jasper County's Aim.

Jasper, Mo., March 1.—A $50,000 memorial hall and livestock pavilion is in project here.

Its promoters are confident that the construction of a building to serve as the headquarters for the breed interests will greatly stimulate live-stock production throughout Jasper county.

To make profit-producing seed stock available for the farmers of the county, the farm bureau officers are encouraging reputable breeders to hold their annual sales in the county. Last year a Lawrence county breeder of Poland-China swine was encouraged to sell his surplus here. He consigned 103 head to this sale and received more than $14,000 for them. Fully 50 per cent of the consignment was purchased by Jasper county farmers. Similarly an outside breeder sold 73 head of Holstein cattle at public sale and fully one-half of the herd was taken by Jasper county men.

In 1348-50, 25,000,000 deaths from the plague, or "black death," occurred which was one-fourth of the entire population of the world at that time.

Chinese thieves are compelled to perambulate the neighboring villages with a board, bearing an account of their offense, fastened around their necks.

The average length of life in the sixteenth century was only twenty-one years, while in this, the twentieth century, the average life is forty-five years.

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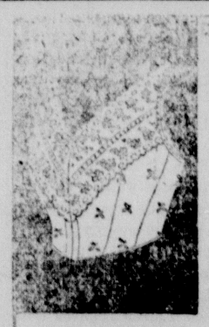

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Business Girls Hold Merrymaking.

The Business Girl's League will give a "kid" party Monday night, March 3. at the high school. All members are asked to be present in costume for the occasion and ready to take part in an impromptu program.

Here From Kansas City.

Mrs. E. B. Sheldon of Kansas City, arrived in Maryville today noon, to spend a few days visiting. While here she will be the guest of Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve, at the Van Cleve home on West Fourth street.

Linville-Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. J .T. Linville of West Second street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Elfreida, to Mr. Clarence Edward Cook at Chicago Saturday, Feb. 22. Mr. and Mrs. Cook will be at home for the present in New York City where Mr. Cook is studying at a school of dramatic art. The bride had been visiting at Wichita, Kan., for several weeks previous to her marriage.

Davis-Wells.

Miss Opal Katherine Davis, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis of Skidmore and Mr. Noble Wells of Rushville, were married Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Devers. The ceremony was performed at noon by the Rev. D. F. Harrison. Immediately after the ceremony, a bountiful wedding dinner was served. Mr. Wells and his bride left on the Tuesday afternoon train for Rushville where they will be at home on the groom's farm.

Farewell Party for Shaws .

A few of the neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shaw and their daughter, Marguerite of Skidmore, gathered at their home Tuesday evening to have a farewell visit before the departure of the family for their new home in Michigan. The guests brought refreshments and all spent a delightful evening. Those present were Mrs. J. M. Charles, Mrs. H. N. McDaniel, Mrs. Susan Miller, Mrs. James Newton, Miss Jessie McClain and Miss Zula Elora.

Return From California.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Bellows returned at noon today from Los Angeles, Cal., where they have been visiting Mrs. Bellows' mother and sister, Mrs. J. F. Douglas and daughter, Miss Nelle, and Mr. Bellows' sister, Miss Clara Bellows at Banning, Cal. A few weeks ago they were joined at Los Angeles, by Mrs. James Schaack of Seattle, Wash., a sister of Mr. Bellows, and Miss Bellows came over from Banning and all spent the time in Los Angeles together. Mrs. Douglas has been in very poor health but her condition now is slightly improved and she is stronger than she has been for some months.

Mrs. Fred Wallace Hostess.

Mrs. Fred Wallace entertained the Merry Minglers club Thursday afternoon at her country home east of the city. The afternoon was spent with needlework and several delightful piano numbers were given by Mrs. Fisher Mercer and Miss Mary Bowman. Mrs. Wallace was assisted in serving refreshments by Miss Mary Bowman. Those present were Mrs. Fisher Mercer, Mrs. H. Smock, Mrs. Lewis Wilson, Miss Nettie Smock, Miss Clara Stein, Misses Theresa and Minnie Jaeger, Miss Mary Bowman, Forest Edmon Wallace, Ralph Edwin Mercer, Miss Garnet Pike and Miss Ruth Fisher. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Lewis Wilson March 13.

Dance and Supper Party.

A party of young folks who enjoyed a dance in the W. O. W. hall last night followed by a supper at Reuillard's was composed of Miss Edna Zimmerman, Miss Virginia Lawson, Miss Doris Cummings, Miss Daisy Allen, Miss Ola Zimmerman, Miss Vera McDowell, Fay Myrtle Lanning. Ernest Kessler, Fay Allen, Arlie Robey, Ferd Masters, Glen Hornbuckle, Harold Hise and James Cummings.

Gard Children Given Surprise.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gard of Ravenwood were given a farewell surprise party Thursday night by the boys and girls classes of the Ravenwood Christian Sunday School. The evening was spent with games and refreshments were served. The Gard family ,with the exception of the eldest son, who is going to Iowa, will move with their parents to Gentry county next week. The young folks in the party were Sylvia Rogers, Clara Dack, Eva Loomis, Frona and Minnie Messner, Beulah Morton, Fay Willis, Gertrude Horton, Louie Harris, Mildred Hubbell, Mona and Georgia Farr, Edith Holtsclaw, Myrtle Jaspers, Fleta Loch, Jennie Ringgold, Opal McLaughlin, Edna Brown, Edith Stockstill, Edna Bradley, Wilma Jackson, Maund Winters, Irene Hanks, Hettie Loomis, Nellie Gard, Myrtle Craig, Grace Buholts, Gladys Horton. Charles Buholts, Cleveland Spoonemore, Claude Loch, Emmett Messner, Marvin Moss, Leo McKee, Fred Winters, Donald Henry, Claude Danford, Frank Garrett, Marion, Herbert, Glen, William and Robert Gard, and Mrs. John Buholts.

Recuperating from Operation.

Miss Josie Mozingo, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Mozingo, living in the Mt. Ayr neighborhood, is at St. Francis hospital, recuperating from an operation which she underwent Wednesday. She is recovering steadily.

Teachers Home for Visit.

Miss Vera Hughes, who is teaching in the high school at Oregon, Mo., and Miss Gladys Owen, a teacher in the Forest City schools, came to Maryville last night to spend the week-end with home folks.

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Whoopee! Here's a Drink Which Cheers But Does Not Inebriate!

Washington, March 1.—It is hard to have to do this, but it might just as well be done frankly—there is no balm for the hard drinker in "Yerbe Mate," the Paraguayan tea. Recently at a dinner in New York it was announced that this beverage would come within the strictest specifications of the Prohibition law, but that, while it is had no alcohol, a "kick" reposed within a brew from its leaves.

It's all wrong, according to Washington's scientists, who have been called upon to answer all sorts of questions about drinks since the eighteenth amendment was ratified. They have even been asked whether the law permits the manufacture of 2 per cent beer, which is a persistent rumor, but which legislative and revenue experts, rather than scientists, do not take seriously.

But as for "Yerbe Mate," as has been said of its cousin Oolong, "it cheers but does not inebriate." Now if it does not inebriate it is quite certain there can be no "kick" in it. Ask any drinker!

"Yerbe Mate" is a popular drink in South America, where John Barleycorn never had such influence as in this country. It is sipped, just like Oriental tea, and is declared to be even more palatable and soothing. If you have a craving for exhiliration or stimulation without intoxicaion, and without injurious effects attendupon the use of the more powerful drinks and drugs, it is suggested that "Yerbe Mate" will fill the bill. Of course, this is what the chemists say who have tested it, and who also add that its stimulating ingredients will drive away the blues.

Discussion of "Yerbe Mate" led to many interesting features of man's search for something to cheer him up. This particular study of man shows that no matter where he lives, whether on the banks of the Euphrates or in the crowded capitals of Europe and the Americas, or in the wilds of Africa, or in the heart of India, man will have a stimulant. It may not always be in the form of a liquid, for sometimes it is smoked, as is the opium of the Chinese, or that most cherished of all weeds, tobacco; and again it may be eaten, as is that sweetened preparation of hemp leaves known as hang in its Turkish form, called hasheesh.

Whatever the name or form or method devised for taking it into the human system, the effects produced are more or less alike; and the worst feature of all these intoxicating inventions of man is that they are habit-forming in their effects and invariably lead to intemperance in their use.

Fortunately, however, there are a few products of nature that ,when properly prepared, will largely satisfy this craving for that after-effect produced by alcoholic liquor. It is in this connection chemists of South America have urged that "Yerbe Mate" be adopted.

You prepare it just as you would the Oriental tea. In South America they generally prepare it by boiling the water in a teapot to the boiling point, then add a quantity of the "Mate"—proportioned to suit the taste and strength desired—allow it to boil for a few minutes and then pour in sufficient cold water to stop the boiling and to settle the fine particles much as coffee grounds are settled in boiling coffee, and the tea is then ready to be served in cups. One may add a little sugar, a small quantity of milk or a little lemon juice, but the inveterate "Mate" drinker takes his straight.

It is sold in the principal grocery stores in this country, and over 50,000 tons were exported from South America last year. In view of the fact that America will be without its principal stimulant, it is expected that "Yerbe Mate" will take its place, not as an intoxicating stimulant, but as an exhilirating concoction, it was explained today.

Hara-kiri is a Japanese method of suicide. Since 1868, when the Japanese feudal system was abolished, harakiri has fallen almost entirely into disuse, but it is occasionally practiced. The last prominent Japanese to commit hara-kiri were Baron Nogi and his wife, in 1912, because they did not wish to live after the death of their emperor Mutsuhito.

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Go to Church Tomorrow

The announcements of various Churches printed herewith are invitations to you to attend their services.

Methodist.

First Methodist, Main and First streets Dr. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. There will be a specially prepared missionary program at this hour. Preaching services at 10:45 o'clock, subject of pastor's sermon "The Stewardship of Prosperity." Choir anthem, "He Was Despised of Men." (Hosmer). Epworth League at 6:30 o'clock, Miss Hart, leader. Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. Anthem, "Savior Breathe an Evening Blessing." (Raff). Mixed quartette, "Guardian Angel." (Randigger).

Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian, Main and Jenkins, Dr. S. A. Colle, pastor.—Sunday school at 10 o'clock, C. Edwin Wells superintendent. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, with sermon by pastor, subject, "A Sunlit Church." Anthem, "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes." Evening worship at 1:30 o'clock, subject of pastor's sermon, "The Heart's Cry." A special musical program will be given.

Baptist.

First Baptist, corner Market and Jenkins, W. C. Ferguson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock, I. E. Tebow, superintendent. Preaching services at 11o'clock with sermon by pastor, subject, "A Fresh Start." Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock, subject of sermon, "Law and Grace."

Scientist.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 206 South Main street.—Sunday school at 9:30. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon, "Christ Jesus." There are no Sunday night services. Mid-week prayer service each Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Reading room in church building open every Wednesday and Saturday afternoon and visitors are welcome at all times to the use of the reading room and to all services.

South Methodist.

Methodist Episcopal, South, Second and Buchanan streets, R. C. Holliday, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock a. m. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, with sermon by pastor from the subject, "The Acid Test." Epworth League at 6:30 o'clock, Miss Orvilla Campbell, leader. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock, sermon subject, "The Foolishness of Preaching." Minute men will speak at each service.

Christian.

First Christian, Buchanan and Third streets. Bible school at 9:30 o'clock. A primary day program will be given under the direction of Mrs. Harry Todd. There will be no preaching services. Christian Endeavor service at 6:30 o'clock.

Catholic.

St. Patrick's, Buchanan and First, Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass at 10 o'clock.

St. Mary's, South Davis street, Rev. Father Odillo Scheiber, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass with hymns at 10 o'clock.

In the early part of the sixteenth century mirrors first became articles of household furniture and decoration. Previous to that time—from the twelfth to the end of the fifteenth century—pocket mirrors or small hand mirrors, carried at the girdle, were adjuncts to ladies' toilettes.

To Visit in St. Joseph.

Mrs. G. B .Holmes went to St. Joseph yesterday to spend the week end visiting her son, Dan Holmes, and family.

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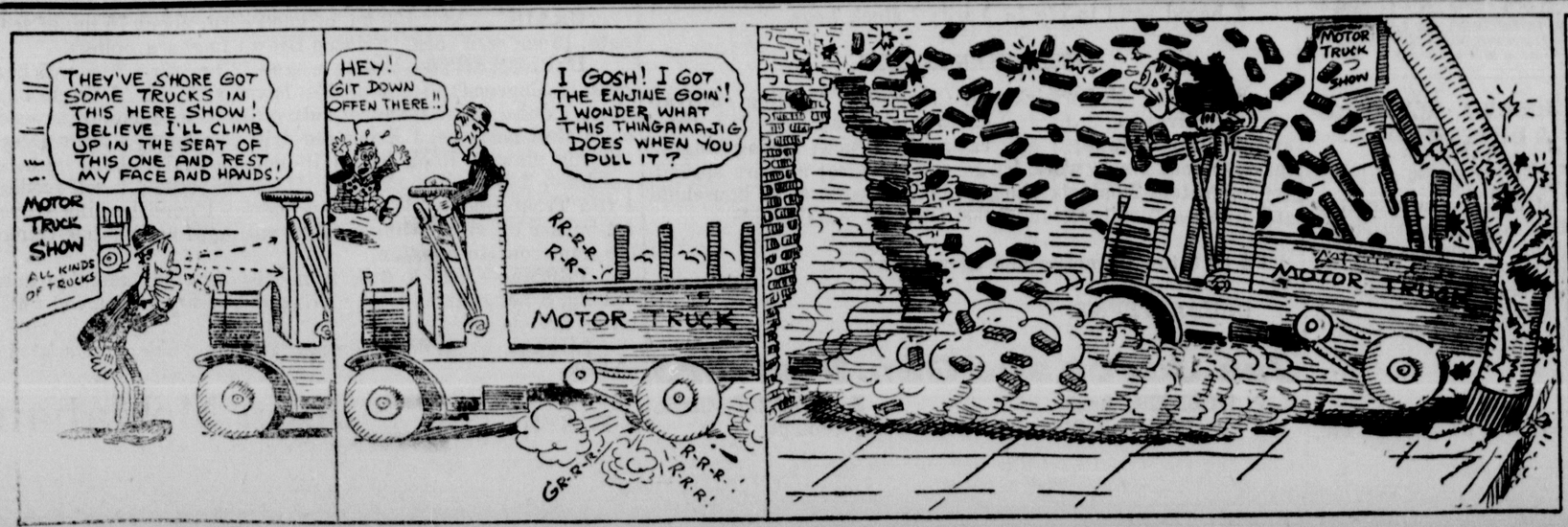
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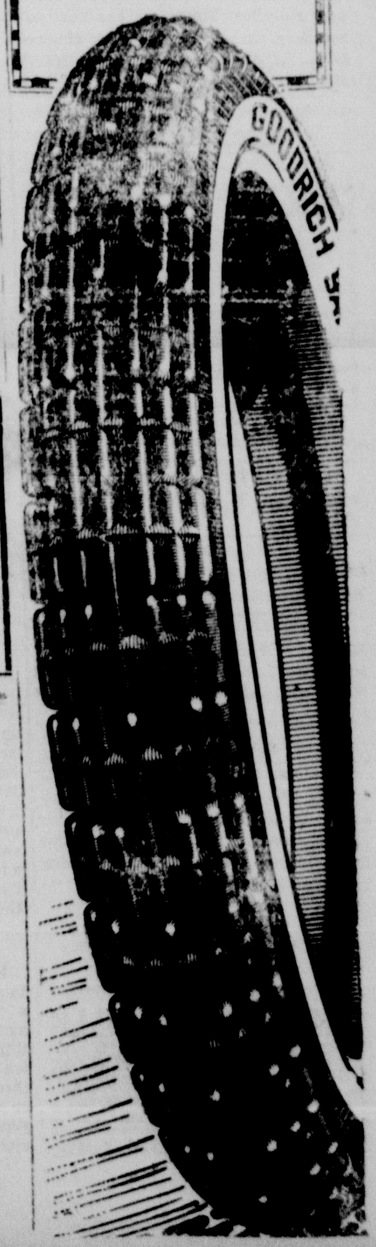

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Phone prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Gasoline stove. Call Hosick Holmes, Hanamo 472. 1tf

S. C. BUFF Leghorn eggs, good laying strain, $1.00 per setting, $5.00 per 100. Mrs. Allen Henry, Burlington Junction, Mo. Phone Clearmont 23-20. 20-3-4.

FOR SALE—Good gentle milch cow, half Jersey, half Shorthorn, bred to Shorthorn bull, gives 1½ gallons milk a day now. Also bull calf a few days old. Marion F. Smith, Democrat-Forum agent, 4 miles east of town. 51-20.

FOR SALE—Buffet kitchen cabinet and gasoline stove. Call Hosick Holmes, Hanamo 472. 21-tf

FOR SALE—Knabe upright piano, largest size made; A-1 condition, mahogany carved case. Mrs. E. L. Townsend, 219 West Second St. F-27tf

NOW READY with a full line of garden seeds, both bulk and package, onion sets, pure Early Ohio seed potatoes, Field seed a specialty. I also handle shorts, oil meal, chicken feed, including Purina Chicken Chowder, oyster shell, sugar, flour, crackers, fresh bread and a small line of up-to-date groceries. R. S. Braniger. 26tf

FOR SALE—Set of light work harness, good shape. C. S. Ellis, 1 mile north of town. 27-1*

FOR SALE—Ford cylinder block, crank case, magneto; cheap if taken at once. Clark's machine Shop. 27-1*

FOR SALE—Small wood cook stove, 321 South Market St. 27-1*

FOR SALE or rent: 4 lots with 5-room house; cave and out buildings, at the corner of Vine and Grant. Farmers phone 52-0-12. 27-29*

FOR SALE—2 acre tract close in, 5 room house, good condition and full basement; good outbuildings. W. W. McDonald, end of North Mulberry St. 27-1*

FOR SALE—6 room cottage, modern throughout. Mrs. W. C. Johnston, 301 East Third St. 27-1

FOR SALE—320 acres improved, relinquishment, fine level land, 9½ miles from town of 2,000 population. No agents need apply. Write E. E. Turner, 1407 Pine St., Pueblo, Colo. 1-4*

BATTERIES—at 75c per pair, brand new Red Seal batteries—the best you can buy, for telephone and automobiles.—ELMER A. HOLT IMPLEMENT CO. 28-3.

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR RENT—Furnished room for a school girl at 616 North Fillmore. Call Hanamo 6667. tf

WHY PAY RENT?—Your rent money will buy a farm in Northeastern Colorado, $16 per acre, up. Good terms. Geo. H. Meek. 24-1*

LOST—On streets, Knights Templar charm. Reward if returned to this office. 27-1

WANTED—A single farm hand at once. Phone Hanamo 2L. 27-1

WANTED TO BUY—Your discarded wood silo. W. H. Parton, Franklin Hotel. 28-3*

FOR RENT—House, barn and about three acres on north Main Street. Good improvements. See S. H. Kemp. 1-4*

FOR SALE—Pure bred Plymouth Rock eggs $1.00 per setting; $5.00 per hundred. J. A. Britton. Farmers phone Burlington Junction. 1-4*

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many kind friends and neighbors for the assistance and sympathy extended us in our recent great bereavement. Also for the beautiful floral offerings. Mrs. Thos. Royston and children. 1*

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

CHICHESTER S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester S Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 35 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

ROUSES HENS FROM INACTION

Theory as to Benefit of Use of Artificial Illumination Would Seem to Be Plausible.

How can artificial illumination have any effect on egg production, is the question being asked by some skeptical poultrymen who have never made any tests.

The answer is, according to the workers in poultry husbandry at the New York state college of agriculture, that the light appears to equalize the time between meals and to shorten the period of inactivity of the fowls during the long nights.

The long nights of the late fall and winter months apparently cause the fowls to use a larger proportion of the night feed for bodily needs than would be the case under normal conditions in the springtime, when the days and the nights are of practically equal length.

At the time of the year when fowls lay the most eggs in New York state—the months of April, May and June—the days and the nights are approximately of equal length. Under these conditions, fowls appear to assimilate their feed, secure the proper amount of exercise, and form their eggs to best advantage.

The latter part of December there are about fifteen hours of darkness and nine hours of daylight, whereas in the latter part of June the reverse is true—there are approximately fifteen hours of daylight and nine hours of darkness.

In other words, illumination attempts to imitate spring conditions so far as the hours of activity and the regulation of feed supply are concerned.

CROW IS ENEMY OF FARMER

Under Modern Conditions There Seems Little Reason for the Bird's Continued Existence.

The record of the crow is like its coat—about as black as black can be—a writer in Detroit Free Press says. It may be that in the great plan of nature, some time in the past, the crow served a useful purpose—likewise the hawk and the buzzard. Take the buzzard, for example. Once protected by human laws everywhere because useful for removing carrion, the stench of which offended the nostrils of all animal life, it is now outlawed, because man realizes that it is better to burn or bury the dead—leaving no excuse for the existence of the disease-carrying buzzard. So, in the beginning, the mission of the crow, we may conjecture, was to preserve some equilibrium, some balance in the economy of nature. It may be he was placed here to hold in check the weed seed and grain eating birds, because weeds were a factor in the past in covering the waste places of the earth and making them fertile. However that may have been, there seems to be no excuse for his existence now since man, the agriculturist, seeds the waste places to useful grains and grasses and needs the help of the insectiverous birds.

Tokyo to Treble Its Population.

If plans adopted by a special committee are carried out, Tokyo will become a city with an area of 226 square miles—a startling contrast to its present area of 30 square miles. The Tokyo Asahi claims that the absorption of the score of suburban cities, some of which the editor says possess larger populations than other principal cities, excepting Osaka, Yokohama, Kobe, Kyoto and Nagoya, will make Tokyo the largest city in the world. Suburban Tokyo now includes the populous residential and industrial communities of Shinagawa, Meguro, Shibuya, Harajuku, Yodobashi, Nakano, Osaki, Sugamo and many others. These towns are no longer suburbs, but parts of Greater Tokyo, and the movement is to bring them under one administration.

Old New Year's Day.

The act for the change of style provided that the legal year in England, 1752, should commence, not on the 25th of March, but on the first of January, and that after the third of September in that year, the next ensuing day should be held as the 14th, thus dropping out 11 days. A similar change was made about the same time in Sweden and Tuscany, and Russia and Greece are now the only countries using the old style. The years 1800 and 1900, not being considered by us as leap years, have interjected two more days, actually making the difference 13 days between old and new style.

Will Not Read Bible in Schools.

The Atlanta board of education at a recent regular meeting reversed its action which ordered the reading of the Bible and repeating the Lord's prayer in the public schools of the city. This action was taken by the board after having heard read the address of the late Senator Joseph E. Brown, war governor of Georgia and the first president of the Atlanta board of education, which was delivered in 1873, and in which the Georgia senator delivered an argument against enforcing the use of the Bible in the schools.

Lawyer's Humor.

Mr. Hohenzollern says he prefers not to think of his exit from Germany as a "flight." While we would like to agree with William, we cannot help thinking of a phrase that occurrs in real estate leases. When a tenant is thrown out for not paying his rent or for abusing the premises the lawyers call it "an amicable action in ejectment."—Collier's Weekly.

Tell me not in mournful numbers that our merchants are unwise,
'Tis the business man that slumbers who will never advertise.
Life is real, life is earnest, and if biz goes to the bad,
See that quickly thou returnest to D-F Want Ads.

Keen enjoyment and not sorrow will be galloping your way,
If you wait not 'til the morrow, but will advertise today.
Art is long and time is fleeting; just be nervy and keep brave;
If your rivals you'd be beating, make want ads your steady slaves.

In Nodaway's broad field of battle, be a big gun midst the strife,
Arm yourself with D-F Want Ads, it will pay you betcherlife.
Trust no future, howe'er pleasant, take no chance of luck ahead,
With no advertisements present, how can business but be dead?

Lives of business men remind us, you can have the luck they've had;
If you'll have your nerve behind you and will play a D-F Want Ad.
You should then be up and doing, if you're going to grab the cash,
If your ad the world is viewing, you will never go to smash.

ASKS DIVORCE FROM WIFE.

Asa C. Lee in Petition Filed Today, Charges Adultery.

Asa C. Lee filed suit for divorce in circuit court this morning from his wife, Nellie M. Lee, charging adultery and immorality. In his petition Lee states that they were married in North Dakota in 1903 and lived together until last August when his wife went to St. Joseph and refused to return to his home. He asks the care of their minor child, Edith.

Granted Marriage License.

A marriage license was granted at St. Joseph Thursday to Miss Bernus O. Johnson of Skidmore and Dewey C. Surdez of Onaga, Kan.

Marriage Licenses Issued.

Marriage licenses were issued today at St. Joseph to Lee Davis of Maitland and Miss Minnie Blake of Graham, and Walter A. Crenshaw and Miss Mary Tracy, both of Parnell.

AUTO BANDITS GET $5,000.

Chicago, Mar. 1.—Four automobile bandits held up saloon owner here today securing five thousand dollars.

Depend on our Want Ad. Column.

MOTHERS, DO THIS—

When the Children Cough, Rub Musterole on Throats and Chests

No telling how soon the symptoms may develop into croup, or worse. And then's when you're glad you have a jar of Musterole at hand to give prompt, sure relief. It does not blister.

As first aid and a certain remedy, Musterole is excellent. Thousands of mothers know it. You should keep a jar in the house, ready for instant use.

It is the remedy for adults, too. Relieves sore throat, bronchitis, tonsilitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, chilblains, frosted feet and colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).

30c and 60c jars; hospital size $2.50.

MUSTEROLE

Eyes Tested Free
Glasses Fitted

WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION

H. L. Raines
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN
110 W. 3RD ST. JUST A STEP PAST MAIN
MARYVILLE, MO.

ST. JOSEPH PLEATING & BUTTON CO.

Dress pleating, hemstitching, and picot edging, cloth covered buttons. Prompt service in all departments. Mail orders received one day will be returned the next.

Write for price list.

212 N. 7th St., St. Joseph, Mo.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

St. Joseph, Mar. 1.—No cattle market.

HOGS—Receipts, 900; top, $17.65 — steady. No sheep market.

Kansas City, Mar. 1.—CATTLE — Receipts, 250—no market.

HOGS—Receipts, 400; top, $17.40; bulk same.

Kansas City, Mar. 1.—CORN—Mar., $1.33¾; May, $1.28½; July, $1.24⅜.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, per dozen	30c
Hides, per lb	12c
Hens, per pound	22c
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per lb	15c
Turkeys, per lb	17c@25c
Young roosters, per lb	18c
Old roosters, per lb	14c
Butter Fat, per lb	50c

The average life of a locomotive is about fifteen years.

THE MEN IN CLASS A1

A sound, healthy man is never a back number. A man can be as vigorous and able at seventy as at twenty. Condition, not years, puts you in the discard. A system weakened by overwork and careless living brings old age prematurely. The bodily functions are impaired and unpleasant symptoms appear. The weak spot is generally the kidneys. Keep them clean and in proper working condition and you will generally find yourself in Class A. Take GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules periodically and your system will always be in working order. Your spirits will be enlivened, your muscles supple, your mind active, and your body capable of hard work.

Don't wait until you have been rejected. Commence to be a first-class man now. Go to your druggist at once. Get a trial box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. They are made of the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil—the kind your great-grandfather used. Two capsules each day will keep you toned up and feeling fine. Money refunded if they do not help you. Remember to ask for the imported GOLD MEDAL Brand. In three sizes, sealed packages.

THE SISSON LOAN & TITLE CO.
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI
Real Estate, Loans and Insurance
Counting Rooms Over Nodaway Valley Bank
Best Terms Ever Offered—See Us.

Closing Out Sale

Having sold our places, we will sell at our farms, ½ mile east and ½ mile south of Engelmann Greenhouses, Maryville, on

Thursday, March 6th

starting at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property:

7 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES

Pair mare mules 8 and 9 years old, good workers; bay mare, wt. 1400; 4-year-old mare, wt. 1300; 2 fillies coming 3 years old; pair coming 2-year-old mules.

19 HEAD OF CATTLE

8 choice milch cows, some fresh, others to freshen soon; 8 head of yearling steers; 1 yearling heifer; 2 yearling Shorthorn bulls.

14 HEAD OF HOGS

7 brood sows to pig in April; 7 stock hogs.

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

2 mowers, McCormick and Champion; 2 riding cultivators; 2 cultivators; 2 discs; 2 harrows; 2 breaking plows; lister and drill; hay rake; 2 hay racks; hog rack; spring wagon; farm wagon; 2 sets work harness; 2 buggies; manure spreader; separator; 2 barrels vinegar; hedge posts; some household and kitchen furniture, and 1,000 OTHER ARTICLES.

6 or 8 tons Timothy and Clover Hay.

USUAL TERMS.

Jas. Joyce and Geo. Stafford
R. P. HOSMER, Auct. S. H. KEMP, Clerk.
This Sale Starts at One O'clock, Prompt.

Public Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public sale at my farm, 1½ miles south of Clearmont, 4½ miles northeast of Burlington Junction, on

Wednesday, March 5

Commencing at 12 o'clock noon, the following property:

5 HEAD OF HORSES—Consisting of 1 bay horse coming 7 years old, weight about 1200; 1 roan horse 4 years old, wt. about 1100; 2 coming 2-year-old colts; 1 coming yearling colt.

CATTLE—1 registered Shorthorn cow; 3 good grade cows, will be fresh soon; 1 Jersey cow coming 8 years old, to be fresh soon; 1 registered Shorthorn bull, 2 years old. This is a red bull from the Beezley & Stitt herd, Clarinda; a few yearling registered Shorthorn bulls, reds and roans, of our own breeding; 3 yearling steers.

70 HEAD OF HOGS—6 Hampshire sows and 4 gilts, bred to farrow about the first of April; 60 head of fall and winter Poland-China shoats.

30 HEAD OF SHEEP—5 registered Shropshire ewes; 1 registered Shropshire buck, and 24 head of high grade ewes, will lamb in March and first of April.

IMPLEMENTS—Wheat drill, Dain vertical lift mower, corn planter with check-row, all complete; 3-section steel harrow, corn drill, 3 cultivators, 1 walking stirring plow, 2 sets work harness and many other articles not mentioned.

TWO OR THREE DOZEN CHICKENS.

USUAL TERMS.

L. L. Hart
Hosmer and Hornbuckle, Aucts. Roy F. Hanna, Clerk.
Lunch on Ground.

Closing Out Public Sale

Having sold my farm known as the Thomas Ranch, I will sell at ranch 5 miles east of Conception Junction, 7 miles northwest of Stanberry and 8½ miles southwest of Alanthus, the following,

Thursday, March 6

5 span good work mules, 2 roan and spotted horses, 2 bay horses, 1 blind mare, 2 saddle ponies. Also one extra good jack and one imported Percheron horse, if not sold before day of sale.

15 to 30 COWS TO BE FRESH SOON.

IMPLEMENTS—Consisting of 4 wagons, 2 discs, 2 corn planters, 1 lister, 1 18-ft. harrow, 1 double row cultivator, 1 John Deere riding cultivator, 1 John Deere walking cultivator, 1 sulky plow, 2 Badger cultivators, 1 iron kettle. Also farm harness, a number of fence posts and a lot of old irons. Sale to commence at 11 a. m., sharp.

TERMS—Cattle, cash. Balance 6 months with bankable note at 8 per cent interest.

W. A. Thomas, Geo. Messner
Cols. W. E. Petty and Merritt D. Miller, Aucts.
F. & M. Bank, Clerk.

Postponed Sale

On account of the bad weather, I have postponed my closing out sale at my farm 2½ miles north of Wilcox, and will hold it on

Tuesday, March 4

16 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—Pair of horse mules coming 2 years old; 1 gray mare 12 years old, weight 1600; 1 black mare 4 years old, wt. 1300; 1 pair of sorrels, wt. 2300; 1 pair of bay colts coming 3 years old, matched mare and gelding; 1 pair of black geldings coming 2 years old; 1 bay gelding coming 2 years old; 1 black mare coming 3 years old, wt. 1200; 1 suckling colt, a good one. The above described horses and mules are heavy drafters. 1 5-year-old grey horse, wt. 1300; 1 coming 6-year-old gray horse, wt. 1600; 1 4-year-old brown horse, wt. 1400.

CATTLE—2 Jersey milch cows, 1 with calf by side, other to freshen soon; 1 Jersey heifer, heavy springer; 1 2-year-old red heifer, with 2 calves by side.

15 HEAD OF HOGS—Consisting of 8 fall pigs; 2 barrows, wt. about 275 lbs. each; 5 brood sows.

GRAIN—About 150 bu. of good corn; about 75 bu. of seed oats; 15 bu. seed corn. 8 dozen Brown Leghorn pullets.

IMPLEMENTS—Moline wagon; 2 buggies; 2 sets of harness (1 Concord); 1 set of 1¼ harness; 1 set of single harness; 1 John Deere 6-shovel cultivator, new; 1 end gate seeder; 2 steel harrows; 1 lister and drill combined; 1 John Deere stirring plow; 1 Rock Island 16-inch plow; 1 Osborn mowing machine; 1 50-gallon oil tank; 3 sheep bunks; 1 self-feeder; 1 Old Trusty incubator (160-egg, new); 1 good heating stove; 1 4-burner oil stove; dining table, rug and many other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Cash, 3, 6 or 9 months time on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

LUNCH by Wilcox Sunday School. Sale starts at 10 o'clock.

JAS. BRANIGER, Auct.
S. H. KEMP, Clerk.

John McMahan

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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ASKS FOR CANNON

CONG. BOOHER WRITES HE WILL TRY TO GET WAR TROPHIES

LETTIR FROM SPENCER

Advises County Court He Has Asked That Missouri Be Given at Least 50 When Distribution Is Made.

Through the efforts of Congressman C. F. Booher, Maryville may be the recipient of a German cannon captured in the war. Following a letter to Mr. Booher some weeks ago by members of the county coure asking that steps be taken to secure one of these war trophies for the county, he wrrites that he has officially asked that when these war trophies are distributed, that the Maryville Normal school, Tarkio college, St. Joseph high school and Andrew county be each given one.

The county court also wrote Senator Spencer and Senator Reed asking their aid in seciring a cannon for this county. Senator Spencer in a letter just received writes that he has introduced a bill providing that Missouri shall be given at least fifty German war cannon. No reply has as yet been received from Senator Reed.

IS READY TO COME HOME

Albert Moore Writes He Has Seen All of "That Country" He Cares to.

In a leter from Albert Moore, with the American Army of Occupation to his friend Albert Mercer, he writes as follows:

Kemprihsh, Germany, Feb. 2.—Dear Old Pal—I will write you this Sabbath day—and by the way I went to church. Of course I couldn't tell much about the sermon, but I guess it was all right at that. They sure have some fine churches here. I just got back from taking a bath—one every month or two won't hurt anybody—that is about as often as we get the chance, we have been moving around so much. We are going to leave here the 6th of this month—going back to where we were when they brought us here for maneuvers, they have them about once a month and they can't get along without the Signal Corps for you see we have lots of wire to string and some times we have to send signals—that is what we call talking with our hands. Maybe we will be two or three miles apart and then the signals come in handy for we can tell them what we want as well as if we could talk to them. I think they will let us come home soon. They can do it any time they get ready for I have seen all of this country I care to. I haven't had any mail for nearly four months. The captain told me to have patience and I told him what it took to wait and that I was broke. Well, no more until I get home and then I will have plenty to tell you.

ALBERT MOORE,
Co. C, 8th Field Signal Battalion.

TO 2 ABOVE THIS MORNING.

Went to 2 Below Yesterday—8 Above Was Highest Temperature Recorded.

February broke some records on the last day of the month when the thermometer dropped to 2 below yesterday; eight above was the highest point reached by the mercury. The weather office reported four above zero this morning. Warmer weather is forecast for tonight and tomorrow, the storm having been broken over all the territory.

Odd Fellows Attention

All members of White Cloud Lodge No. 92 and all visiting brothers are requested to meet at the hall Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock to attend the funeral of Brother John Brewin.

DANCING

Monday and Tuesday Night

K. of C. Hall

Schumacher's

Four Picce Orchestra

Mrs. Will Foster

M. H. S. I[illegible] TO KING CITY

State Historical Society COLUMBIA

Were on s[illegible] 20 Score in Game Play[illegible] ght—Team is[illegible]

Due to hard luck or [illegible] forseen cause, the M. H. S. [illegible] on the short end of a 25-20 sco[illegible]e game played at King City last night. The M. H. S. players were confident of their ability to repeat the trick they turned with King City when the latter team played here, but something "turned up." Just what it was will not be definitely known until the team returns this evening. Coach Zeigler did not make the trip, his place being taken by Prof. R. E. Peasley.

The only report of the game was received in a wire which gave the score.

SIX MILLION CARS IN THE U. S.

Missouri Has Between One and Two Hundred Thousand—Eighteen States Exceed 100,000.

Practically six million motor vehicles were in use in the United States by the first of the year, as revealed by the automobile registration in the various states. The actual total, according to the latest figures, was 5, 945, 442 vehicles. On January 1, 1918, statistics showed that this country had a trifle less than 5 million—so that the increase during the last year, despite the war conditions, higher prices and the shortage of many cars, was a million vehicles. This in itself is a remarkable indication of national economic strength under the many financial and personal war burdens.

Increase in motor car registration is an evidence of a growing modernization of conditions and of the degree in which the wealth of the population is growing. Therefore, automobile statistics have come to be considered during recent years somewhat like iron and steel reports, and if closely studied they reveal even more interesting facts than these metallurgical statistics.

Eighteen states now show a registration in excess of one hundred thousand. New York still leads, the latest figures of Hugo giving the state a close second, having passed the four hundred thousand mark during the year. Illinois, Pennsylvania and Iowa have between three hundred thousand and four hundred thousand; California, Michigan, Texas, Indiana and Minnesota between two hundred thousand and three hundred thousand, and Wisconsin, Kansas, Missouri, Massachusetts, Nebraska, New Jersey, Oklahoma and Washington between one hundred thousand and two hundred thousand vehicles. Thus, five states in the West, eight in the Middle West and one in the Southwest are ranged with four Eastern states as leading users of automobiles.

MUST CONTINUE RED CROSS.

The Trained Workers Should Keep Up Activities, Says Henry P. Davison.

Washington, March 1.—The army of Red Cross workers recruited and trained during the war must continue their activities for the present, Henry P. Davison, chairman of the war council of the American Red Cross, declared in a statement issued last night in behalf of the council, which passes out of existence tomorrow. Tentative control of the organization will be assumed by Dr. Livingston Farrand, the new chairman of the central committee.

HALASEY FUNERAL TODAY.

Services Held at St. Patrick's Church This Morning.

Funeral services for Mrs. Johanna Halasey, who died Friday, were held at 9 o'clock this morning at St. Patrick's church, conducted by the Rev. Father Niemann. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery.

The pall bearers were John Murrin, Tab McDowell, James Murphy, Ab Kinsley, Jerry Vaughn and Pat Tobin.

PROTZMAN FUNERAL TOMORROW

Short Services Will be Held at St. Mary's Cemetery.

The funeral services for Miss Agnes Protzman, who died yesterday morning will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at St. Mary's cemetery, conducted by the Rev. Father Odillo.

DAVE SECKINGTON IN STATES

Wife Receives Message of Arrival at Newport News Yesterday.

Mrs. D. K. Seckington received a message this morning from her husband, saying he had arrived at Newport News, Va., yesterday afternoon. Young Seckington was attached to the 89th Division and was sent over seas early last June. He was later taken out of that division and placed in the candidates training school where he has been for several months.

Depend on our Want Ad. Column.

ASK SUGGESTIONS

COMMITTEE NAMED TO SECURE DATA ON WAR MEMORIAL

TWP. DELEGATES ABSENT

Unfortunate Selection of Date of the Meeting and Bad Roads Cuts Attendance—Another Meeting Soon.

At the second meeting of representatives of the various organizations interested in securing a war memorial at the court house this afternoon it was decided that a committee be named to secure suggestions as to the nature of a memorial from any person or persons in the county and to collect such data along this line as might be of aid in later plans that may be made.

Delegates from three townships that advised that representatives would be sent were not present and it was the sense of the meeting that they be asked again to attend and take a part in determining what kind of a memorial Nodaway county should build and help with ways and means to secure it. The next meeting will be at the call of the committee on suggestions that will be appointed next week by Chairman W. O. Garrett.

No representatives from other than the organizations that sent delegates to the first meeting were present and no word was received from those named in Lincoln, Hughes and Nodaway townships were received. Bad roads, the first of the month and the meeting being on Saturday afternoon was doubtless the reason for their not being present.

JOHN W. BREWIN, 40, DEAD

Young Farmer Passes Away Late Yesterday Afternoon at Hospital—Funeral Tomorrow at Methodist Church.

John William Brewin, 40 years old, living south of the city, died yesterday afternoon at St. Francis hospital. Mr. Brewin's death was due to acute pericarditis.

The funeral services will be held at three o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the First Methodist church, conducted by Dr. Gilbert S. Cox.

The services will be under the direction of the Odd Fellows Lodge of which Mr. Brewin was a member.

ENDORSE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

State Senate Adopts Resolutions Favoring Entrance of the United States Into the League.

Jefferson City, March 1.—By a vote of 26 to 5, the Goodson resolution endorsing the league of nations was adopted by the senate late yesterday after discussion continuing through two sessions. The gist of the resolution is contained in the following excerpt:

"Be it resolved by the senate, the house of representatives concurring therein, that we favor the entrance of the United States into such a league (league of nations), believing this to be America's greatest opportunity to promote the cause of civilization and clinch the victory won."

An amendment by Senator Gray of Jasper, providing that no American principles be surrendered if America endorses the league, was lost without a roll call.

MANN VICTOR IN DEFEAT.

Turns Tables on Gillett Forces in Organization Plans.

Washington, March 1.—Representative James R. Mann of Illinois, defeated in the Republican House caucus last night for speakership of the Sixty-sixth Congress, has completely turned the tables on the Gillett forces in plans for organization of the new House, and today remains the dominating factor in control of machinery to name the committees.

Although Mr. Mann said yesterday he did not want to accept the floor leadership, it was freely predicted that the new committee on committees would elect him chairman and that floor leadership would be thrust upon him when the new Congress convenes.

Show Missionary Pictures.

The Primary and Junior Departments of the First M. E. Sunday School will be entertained at the church tonight at seven o'clock when missionary pictures will be shown on the screen. The pictures will portray the life and work of Dr. Mary Stone, a missionary to China. There will be no admission charge.

PLOTTERS ARE STILL ACTIVE

Failing in "Policy of Murder," Pan-Germans Seek by Propaganda to Rehabilitate Ludendorff.

Amsterdam, Mar. 1.—Failing in a "policy of murder," as was shown in the case of the assassination of former Premier Kurt Eisener of Bavaria, pan-Germans are attempting by propaganda to rehabilitate General Ludendorff. It is known that plotting is going on to overthrow the republic and again set up a monarchy.

General Ludendorff, in an interview with the Telegraph Union at Berlin, said he was eager to use his talents against the Spartacides. He praised the ex-kaiser, but criticized the former crown prince as a pacifist. He said he knew that Germany was beaten in the war last August.

HAD TO SEEK WARMER OFFICE

Court House Officials Driven From Their Rooms by Cold Weather—Old Building in Bad Repair.

County officials whose offices are on the north and west side of the court house found their rooms almost untenable yesterday, the cold wind getting in at every crevice—and there are plenty of them. Judge Dawson and Prosecutor McCaffrey were unable to occupy their offices on the second floor, while downstairs rooms on the west side were equally uncomfortable.

The old building is getting into a bad state of repair with leaks in many places and windows and doors almost useless in keeping out the wind. Jurors and witnesses who must attend court are loud in their complaint of the conveniences afforded. The sentiment in favor of a new and modern court house is rapidly growing and it may not be long until a movement is set afoot to secure one.

PHOTOS OF SOLDIER GRAVES

Pictures of Last Resting Places of Americans To Be Sent To Relatives by Red Cross Society.

Washington, March 1. — Plans have been perfected by the American Red Cross whereby photographs of the identified graves of American soldiers in France will be sent to the relatives of the heroes in this country. Several hundred such photographs have already been forwarded to the families of men who died in service overseas, and an announcement from Red Cross Headquarters says that the work of obtaining photographs has been speeded up to the point where production from now on is expected to reach about 7,000 every month. The photograph is sent to the dead soldier's next of kin.

The Red Cross has taken over the task of photographing the graves at the request of the War Department and is acting under the authority of Lieutenant-Colonel C. C. Pierce, of the Graves Registration Service. The headquarters of the service is at Tours, France. Each photograph is mounted in a cardboard folding frame, one side of which contains data concerning the dead soldier.

While all requests for such photographs should be forwarded to the Bureau of Communications of the American Red Cross, and not to the Graves Registration Service of the Army, such requests are not really necessary and will not hurry the receipt of the photograph. Neither will special requests receive any special consideration. Every identified grave in France is to be photographed under a plan worked out by the army and the photographers will not be permitted to deviate from this arrangement in order to take the picture of any particular grave. The American Red Cross will forward the photographs to relatives as soon as they are received at headquarters.

VITAL QUESTIONS NOW UP.

Peace Conference Expected to Reach Early Settlement of Problems.

Paris, March 1.—The Peace Conference plans to reach agreements on the more important questions between March 8 and March 15, Capt. Andre Tardieu, one of the French delegates, told foreign newspaper correspondents yesterday. He said the conference had four vital problems to solve—the Franco-German Frontier; the Adriatic situation, the Russian Frontier and the question of freedom of the seas. All these questions probably will be completed in a fortnight.

Captain Tardieu declared France does not desire to annex the left bank of the Rhine, but only wants guarantees which will prevent Germany from using it as a base for attacking France. The Russian question, he added, will be considered last next week.

TO SETTLE DISPUTE

PEACE CONFERENCE TO TAKE HAND IN ITALIAN QUARREL

WILL MARK A BOUNDARY

And Both Sides Will Be Sternly Warned To Keep on Their Own Side—Action as Soon as Wilson Gets Back.

Paris, March 1.—Immediately upon the returnr of President Wilson and Lloyd George to Paris strong action will be taken by the peace conference in the Italian-Jugo-Slav dispute. A provisional boundary will be drawn and both parties will be sternly warned to keep on their own side of the line. There has been attempts by both sides to the quarrel to enlist the sympathy of the powers at the peace missions, but the delegates decline to be influenced by special pleading.

WANTS LETTERS FROM HOME.

Charles Hosher Says Home News Is the Best Gift for Soldiers.

William Hosher, living south of the city, has received the following letter from his son, Charles Hosher, with the American army in France. Charles is expecting to be moved from his present station soon, but the destination is uncertain:

France, Jan. 20.

Dearest Father: Received your letter today, maybe you think I wasn't glad to receive it. Have only received four from the States since Olt. 29. Had a letter from Earl McCleave this evening. He don't think he will get to come home soon. I stand a little show of getting to go somewhere, for will leave here one day this week. Lord only knows where I will go, but I don't care. Was sorry to hear of Warren Reakseeker's death. First I had heard of it. He was a mighty fine boy. I hope Faye Correugh was not wounded bad. George Meeks' death was sure sad news. And Jennie Dobbins, I expect I knew her better than you folks did, she was a good girl. People would think us boys have seen so much of it that we don't give it a thought, but it does hurt. I have seen them knocked off by the dozen and never pay any attention but just to hear of one of the home folks it makes a person stop and think. You spoke of the flu. Well I have had mine, but you have got to take care of yourself. I used to think my room cold, but the buggy shed on the north side of the barn would be a mansion to me now. That may sound big to you, but it is true. We have a little straw in the middle of a shed about sixty feet long and a straw mattress to lay on, with four blankets. I use my rain coat and overcoat for extra covers. And our grub is tough. Now I am not trying to make you think I am dying for I feel fine and dandy. We have a four days' ride from here to La Mons. We go from here to Dijon, [illegible] you have heard of that place. I was there once. I want to go to Paris if I get a chance. * * * * I will soon have a new home and expect to send you a telegram from where I land, giving you my address. I want some letters from home. Don't care for presents half so much as letters. * * *

CANDIDATE CHARLES HOSHER,
12th Co., 3rd Bat., Army Candidate School, A. E. F., A. P. O. 714.

THE EX-KAISER WANTS MONEY

Request for Portion of His Private Fortune Granted—Was Allowed 600,000 Marks.

Weimar, March 1.—The former German emperor, it is learned from competent sources ,recently appealed to the German revolutionary government for money. It was said in his behalf that it was impossible for him to continue living upon the bounty and good will of the Dutch nobleman in whose castle he now resides.

Herr Hohenzollern, it is said, declared he already had been forced to borrow forty thousand guilders from his host and could not continue as a debtor. He asked that he be allowed at least a portion of his private fortune.

The government, after considering the matter, agreed to his request and instituted a detailed investigation to determine what portion of the former emperor's supposed fortune really was his and what portion belonged to the government. Investigation showed that the former ruler might legally claim 75 million marks as his own, but the government decided to allow him temporarily only six hundred thousand marks to meet present indebtedness and future expenses.

BLIZZARD DOES MUCH DAMAGE

Stock and Crops Throughout Rocky Mountain Region Suffer—Trains Tied up by Snowslides.

Denver, March 1.—One man is dead, a heavy loss of range herds throughout the Rocky Mountain region, hundred thousands of dollars damage to railroads through snowslides, delays and destruction of perishable fruit, several trains tied up by snowdrifts, all mails late and wire service badly crippled as a result of the third blizzard of the season.

A WEATHER RECORD SPOILED

February Weather Was Normal, But a Blizzard on Last Day Brought Below Zero Back.

The February good weather record was spoiled by the blizzard yesterday when the temperature went down to one below zero. With that exception, the temperature of the month was quite uniform, the mean temperature being 30½, being the highest with the exception of February, 1899, when it was 32.6, according to the records of Weather Observer Brink.

The highest temperature was recorded on February 11, when it went to 62.

Rain and melted snow totaled 2.65 inches. The total snow fall was 5 inches. There were thirteen clear days four partly cloudy and eleven cloudy.

NAIL A FALSE CLAIM OF "WETS."

Search of Private Homes Permissible Only When Used for Sale of Booze.

Jefferson City, March 1.—One lie from "wet" lips was nailed yesterday by J. Elmer Ball, attorney for the Anti-Saloon League, when he issued a statement explaining the provisions of the Honest Enforcement Bill now pending in the legislature. The measure is aimed to furnish methods by which Missouri can enforce national prohibition within the state, the federal bone dry amendment having contained a clause providing the several states should be empowered to enact legislation to assist the government in carrying out the provisions of the national prohibition.

"The wets in the senate charge the enforcement bill will permit officers to harass citizens in Missouri and enable personal enemies to invade private homes in search for booze," Ball said last night. "They are laboring to create a sentiment that the Missouri Anti-Saloon League is trying to force the passage of a law that will be obnoxious to the best citizens of our state.

"The search and seizures provision in the prohibition enforcement bill does not enlarge the power of our circuit courts, but merely makes the remedy of search and seizure applicable to the illegal traffic in intoxicating liquors. Under the terms of this portion of the bill, the courts of Missouri are permitted to cause their officers to seize intoxicating liquors manufactured, sold, held or transported in violation of law, under the limitations and provisions of the constitution of Missouri and the constitution of the United States. No search warrant is permitted to be issued for the search of private dwellings unless they are used for the purpose of trafficking in intoxicating liquors in violation of the law.

DISTURBANCES AT MUNICH AGAIN

Berlin, Mar. 1.—Serious disturbances have again broken out at Munich and government troops have occupied the law courts buildings. Majority socialists at Munich are appealing to the workmen not to join the general strike. The Gerstenberg division of the German army have occupied Hanborn and one hundred and sixteen Spartacides have been arrested there.

RUSSIA LOST MOST

BATTLE TOLL OF ALL NATIONS WAS 7 MILLIONS

GERMANS LOST 1,700,000

General March, Chief of Staff, Makes Public Losses Sustained by Various Countries in War.

Washington, March 1. — Deaths in battle toll in great battles was seven million, two hundred and fifty-four thousands, according to figures made public by Chief of Staff General March today. That is the total number of men killed in action and died from wounds received in battle. The United States suffered the least of battle killed while Russia suffered the greatest. Russia suffered a million and seven hundred thousand, Germany a million six hundred thousand, France a million, three hundred eighty-five thousand, Austria eight hundred thousand, England seven hundred and six thousand, seven hundred, Italy four hundred sixty thousand, Belgium a hundred and two thousand.

The United States lost fifty thousand. March revealed that the American troops are to be removed from the scene of reported friction between the Italian and the Jugo-Slav troops.

SUFFRAGE HAS A CHANCE.

Washington, Mar. 1.—Senator Gay, of Louisiana, announced today he would support and vote for suffrage resolution introduced in the senate yesterday by Senator Jones. Gay's vote would give suffrage supporters the one vote necessary to pass the amendment through the senate if they are able to bring it to a vote.

SCHEIDEMAN HAS RESIGNED.

London, Mar. 1. — Phillip Scheidemann, chancellor of Germany, has resigned, according to advices. Holland dispatches state increased revolutionary movements imminent in Germany.

MARTIAL LAW IN MADRID.

Madrid, Mach 1.—Martial law was proclaimed today. Riots broke out and a number of people were wounded by gendarmes when food shops were stormed.

WILSON TO ADDRESS GOVERNORS.

Washington, March 1.—The President will deliver an address at the opening session of the conference of governors and mayors which will convene here Monday it was announced at the White House today.

John Mutz Back in States.

A telegram from John Mutz to his parents this morning gave the welcome information that he had arrived in Newport News from overseas service. He did not state when he expected to be discharged or furloughed home.

Goes to See New Son.

Dr. W. W. Turner left this morning for Petersburg, Ill., where he will remain for several days getting acquainted with a new son, who arrived some days ago. Mrs. Turner, who is visiting at the home of her parents, will return to Maryville within a few weeks.

Visiting in St. Louis.

O. C. Wallace, operator and ticket seller at the Burlington station, went to St. Louis today to spend a few days visiting relatives. Mrs. Wallace and their young son, John Curtis, went to St. Louis a week ago and will return with Mr. Wallace.

WEATHER FOR TODAY

Generally fair tonight and Sunday except light snow and warmer tonight.

Basket Ball Tonight

High School Girls vs. King City Girls

Normal Gymnasium 8 p. m.

Admission 35 cents

This may be the last game of the season

Feature Tonight

Empire Theatre

11c and 17c

A Blue Bird Feature,

Ruth Clifford

—in—

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For Township Coleictor.

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HOWARD ("DICK") STRONG hereby announces his candidacy for the nomination for the office of Collector of Polk Township, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

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We are authorized to announce the andidacy of Bert Cooper for County Superintendent of Schools of Nodaway County, subject to the action of the voters at the election to be held Tuesday, April 1.

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H. W. HULL.

TO INVOKE REFERENDUM

St. Louis Plans Fight Against Ratification of "Dry" Amendment.

St. Louis, March 1.—A campaign to invoke the referendum on the recent ratification by the state legislature of the national prohibition amendment was begun yesterday by eighteen civic organizations here. A delegation will be appointed to go to Jefferson City to obtain legal advice on the matter, it was said.

Signatures of 5 per cent of the voters in two-thirds of the congressional districts of the state are needed to call an election, according to Missouri statutes. The petition must be filed with the Secretary of State within ninety days of the date of the ratification.

The smallest coin ever issued was the "mite." They were current in Asia Minor, and called "beggars' money," being chiefly used for almsgiving.

The Roman signal for battle was the unfurling of a red flag. The white flag is a token of peace in every part of the world.

Wild canaries were not yellow originally, but green or gray in color.

CHANCE FOR COAL EXCHANGE

Britain Has Too Much Anthracite and New York Has a Surplus of Bituminous.

In England the coal controller is trying to induce the people to burn anthracite in place of bituminous coal. He offers to exchange two tons of large anthracite for every ton of bituminous coal that consumers have on hand. In the eastern United States the fuel administration has been trying to get consumers to use bituminous coal in place of anthracite. Welsh anthracite mines are operating on part time, while English and Welsh bituminous coal mines are working overtime, says the New York Commercial.

This would be a fine chance for exchange of products if shipping were available, and it soon will be. New York city needs anthracite and can get a surplus of bituminous coal. England needs the latter and can spare the former. In England most of the people do not know how to burn anthracite. New Yorkers are ignorant of the way to use bituminous coal. The English persist in using open grates for heating rooms, and find it hard to make anthracite burn in them. In New York the open grate is found only in the homes of the wealthy. England shivers with plenty of anthracite in sight, while New York is threatened with a famine of domestic sizes of anthracite. Each regards the other as pig-headed because neither knows how to use the fuel available. It's an odd world.

WELCOME DEATH'S COLD HAND

Little Wonder That Men Who Realize Their Appalling Loneliness Should End It All.

Alone. Not a living soul near to whom to speak. Forsaken it seems almost by God, whose presence scarce can penetrate the confused jangle of the city slums. Alone and penniless, with none to know or care. It is a harder lot by far than death. What wonder that men die?

Alone—with bitter thoughts of failure crowding through the interstices of a sluggish brain. Alone—with not even two coins to rub in warming friction, clammy hands thrust into empty pockets. It is hard to live and doubly hard to die. What wonder that men kill that breathing, pulsing thing within we call life? What wonder that men pass by their own hand from living death to deathless living?

They come and stay with us a while—and pass, defying God and man, themselves defied. And only they whose hearts beat with a richer, warmer, redder blood will understand.—Milwaukee Journal.

Patti's Beauty Vanishes.

According to a writer in Everybody's Magazine, "Patti lives, not only in our hearts, but really, in the flesh, at the age of seventy-six, in her magnificent castle of Craig-y-Nos, ten miles north of Swansea, in South Wales, on which she has spent quite half a million. She lives there with her third husband, Baron Cederstrom, and sometimes, when they feel inclined, they throw open their theater, a replica of the Baireuth theater, to the countryside and give one of the operas in which Patti once thrilled the world. Until recently Patti was even sometimes prevailed upon to appear at Albert hall in London for the benefit of some charity, but her beauty is quite gone—it vanished far earlier than her voice—and so for the most part she is happiest in her Welsh fastnesses among the neighbors, who will always call her the 'Queen of Wales.'"

Dutch Select Wireless Site.

The site for the wireless station intended for communication between the Netherlands and the Dutch East Indies has finally been decided on. The Koelberg hill, which is 86 meters high and located in Hoog-Buurlo, near Apeldoorn, was selected, according to the Scientific American.

A new railway line will be constructed from Kaatwyk. The station is to have four towers, each 210 meters high, a large power house and building for housing the operatives. The communicating station in India is to be built near Bandoeng in the Preanger, so that the distance between the two stations will be some 11,000 kilometers.

Ancient Rock Engravings.

The prehistoric art museum lately revealed in Montesqui-Avantes, Ariege, southern France, contains rock engravings estimated to be 30,000 years old. Continuing the exploration interrupted by the war, Count Begouen and his three sons discovered on the inner walls of the cavern a bas relief of a real lion, with numerous figures of reindeers, bisons, horses, bears, elephants, rhinoceroses, and such birds as ducks and swans. Strangest of all is a silhouette of a powerful man, with thick neck, distinctly human limbs, feet and hands, and a tail, and represented walking on all fours.

Prepare for Another Day.

Prepare today for the morrow. It is the only way to advance rapidly and with success. He best succeeds who, in advance to demand, knows his abilities and shortcoming, who is able best to estimate his capacity for production, mental or physical. Prepare incessantly for promotion, and promotion must come. Neglect to prepare for the future, and there will be no future. It is such neglect that has spelled stagnation for millions in the past, that will spell stagnation for millions in the future.—Milwaukee Journal.

NEWS FROM

NODAWAY COUNTY TOWNS

Sergeant James H. Martindale, who has been stationed at Camp Funston, for the past eighteen months, returned to his home in Clyde Monday morning, having been honorably discharged from the service.

C. R. Lamar and George Colvin of Elmo, two prominent citizens, went this week to Mayo Brothers hospital at Rochester, Minn., for surgical help.

Elba Hagan sold his tract of 16 acres lying northeast of Barnard Thursday morning to John R. Love of Springfield, Tenn. Possession will be given May 1. Mr. Love purchased this property with a view of dividing it up into town lots and selling them at auction thus making an addition to Barnard.

Mrs. W. L. Gilbert of Barnard was taken to St. Joseph and operated on Tuesday, a 25 pound tumor being removed from her side. The report Wednesday morning was that she was pretty low but had a chance of recovering. She is about 74 years old.

Mrs. Lola Stonehocker conveyed lots 7 and 8 in block 7 in the town of Guilford to Mrs. Emma Conlin, consideration $900. Mrs. Conlin has moved in and intends to make this her home.

Mrs. Bertha Demann and daughter Barbara of Vermillion, S. D., came to Guilford Tuesday to make her home with her father Wm. McKee. Her husband died a few months ago.

An enthusiastic meeting of business men and citizens of Burlington Junction, was held in the director's room of the Northwestern bank Monday after noon to discuss paving Main street, The meeting was quite well attended, a number of property owners being represented, and all were in favor of paving. It was decided that an estimate on the actual cost of grading, curb and paving work would be essenital before the matter wa staken before the property owners, and the chairman of the meeting appointed a property owner from each of the three blocks, where the proposed work will be done, to get estimates on the construction J. W. Praiswater, R. E. Caudle and T. A. Corken were the men appointed on this committee. As it is planned now, an effort will be made to have three blocks paved, beginning at the Caudle, Lincoln and Co. corner and extending to the M. L. Sewell residence corner. These are the blocks which need the improvement the most, as they are shaded by the business houses and it is absolutely impossible to keep them in condition during the winter months. If the proposition is regarded favorably by property owners further out it will be a splendid plan to extend the paving this summer for it is bound to come later, this being the history of all towns.

H. A. Smith, who has been manager of Rankin ranch 8 west of Burlington Junction made the biggest shipment of hogs from the local yards Tuesday that has been made by one man for many years. There were 535 head in the shipment and Mr. Smith, with five helpers, started the hogs from the ranch at daylight Tuesday morning, reaching the yards with them about noon. He called for help as he needed along the way, several neighbors assisting him in getting the big herd to town. N. Grimsley was one of his helpers, and even brought his trained dog along. Mr. Smith shipped the hogs to St. Louis, six stock cars being required for them. They averaged 200 pounds each and should bring, at present market prices, over $18,000. The owner went with the shipment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Myrick, who have been spending the past year in Los Angeles, will leave that city Saturday for Burlington Junction. They expect to stop at Holdrege, Neb., for a short visit with their daughter, Mrs. C. B. Sewell and family, and will probably arrive here the last of next week.

G. W. Clary is moving to Clearmont, to the fine residence he recently purchased of Henry Weber on South Pine.

James C. Ware has rented his 200-acre farm southeast of Burlington Junction to John Dickey, who has been farming the Grant Taylor place.

Bob Allman came to Parnell from Dallas, Texas, last Friday on a visit with old friends. Bob was a sailor during the early part of the war but the boat he was on was sunk by a mine and a torpedo from a submarine. He was eight hours in the water before he was rescued. When taken to a hospital in England it was found he had three ribs broken. He is now attending a school at Dallas, Texas.

Charley Harman is now the owner of the garage building at Parnell. he is occuping. Roof & LaFavor recently sold to D. Seyster and the latter sold it to Mr. Harman.

A deal was made a few days ago whereby Wesley Barrett of Skidmore, became the owner of the Robert Barrett property known as River Hill, just west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whitlock of Barnard, left Monday for Augusta, Kansas, where Mr. Whitlock has a position with the Empire Gas and Fuel Co. Whitlock has been in the army and was discharged recently.

L. D. Carter and family of Burlington Junction are moving to western Nebraska where they expect to make their future home. Lem was out in that country last fall and bought a quarter section farm. Part of it is irrigated. His brother, Robt. Carter, lives in the same section of the country and has been doing well there.

Frank Robbins, a brother of Miss Grace Robbins of Hopkins, expects to receive his discharge this week and return to opkins for a visit with friends and relatives. Frank was a member of the Rainbow division until he was wounded when he returned to the United States with a casualty company.

Charley Northover is putting a milk route on in Hopkins, his dairy to be known as Sunny Heights. He has a fine herd of Holstein cows and is located two miles south of Hopkins.

Doc Ellis, the efficient light plant man of Hopkins, received a shock from a live wire last Friday morning which luckily did not prove fatal. At the time he was standing on a low box, working with the switch board, when the box turned over with him and his shoulder came in contact with the wire. He lay for perhaps a half hour before he was able to call Dr. Kirk to his assistance. He is now about his work again and the results of the accident are not so serious as were at first feared.

Last week J. T. Disney of Hopkins sold his residence property to Wm. King, who will sell or rent the property he now occupies in the south part of town, to occupy his newly acquired home. The price paid for the Disney property was $3,000. Mr. and Mrs. Disney are busy packing their goods and will leave next Tuesday for Laclede, Mo., to make their future home. They have been residents of Hopkins for many years and have many friends who are sorry to have them leave, but wish them the best of success and happiness in their new home. Mr. Disney is recovering from an operation for a tumor on his neck but it will be a year or more before he is able to actively engage in business again.

Wm. Chaney and wife of Hopkins are packing their goods preparatory to moving to Glen Elder, Kansas, where he will have charge of the big grain elevator of that place. Glen Elder is a town about the size of Hopkins, located 200 miles west of Atchison, and has a mile or more of paved streets. Mr. Chaney is not a stranger in the town, having been head miller of the Glen Elder mills some twenty years ago, so it will not be like going as a stranger to a strange land. "Bill" knows the mill and elevator business from "a to izzard," and will draw a handsome salary.

George W. Collins of Skidmore, returned Monday morning from Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, where he had been since last Friday visiting with his son, Clyde, who has returned from overseas and is now in the hospital at the Barracks recovering from an attack of bronchitis he suffered since arriving on this side. While in France Clyde was in some of the hardest fighting of the war and was quite badly gassed from which he has, in a measure, recovered. Mr. Collins found him in much better condition than he had anticipated, his face being almost free from any evidence of scars from the burns he received. He now weighs 139 pounds only about 10 pounds less than his normal weight. When he left his bed in the hospital in France he weighed only 100 pounds and has made 39 pounds gain since that time. If he suffers no relapse from his bronchial trouble he will probably be released in a week or such a matter.

Forum-ettes

A certain well known Maryville man was being introduced at a recent event and said to one of the young ladies to when he was presented: "I seem to know your face, but I can't place you." "You mean," she replied, "you know the place, but you can't face me."

A high school student who has to write an essay on the League of Nations comes to this colm for information on the general nature of leagues and something historical that he can weave into his essay. He comes to the right source. If there is any one thing more than another where we shine it is on the subject of leagues in general, anl we are always glad to help the youth. Historically speaking the first account of such an organization was league which was formed in the Garden of Eden. Adam, Eve and the Serpent were charter members. The Serpent was the first to conceive the idea and it has a sort of snakey affair ever since. He broached the subject to Adam and Eve got wind of it and insisted on being made a member, and ever since then women have been in it. It was not a financial success because Eve worked a scheme by which she became president and in time the league died. But the league idea took root and in bewildering succession league after league was formed Men became joiners of everything that came along until there were leagues of many kinds. Among the earlier leagues was the "half a league, half a league onward." Then came the Epworth League, which for a time had a big run and became quite popular, but the most popular of all leagues was the American and National leagues. But leagues may come and leagues may go, but the League of Nations bids fair to go on forever. We could give an extended account of the rise and fall of leagues, but we believe this will be sufficient to start the H. S. student on a profitable research. He will find something of interest on the subject in a historical work entitled, "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea."

"When is a man drunk," is a question an Arkansas justice of the peace is called on to decide in a liquor case. Frank Reuillard says it is the experience of his younger and more rollicking days that when a man insisted on kissing the bar keeper good night, he may be said to be drunk, but not before.

So long as there is no report that Switzerland is short on holes for the Swiss cheese, we should worry.

In six days the Lord "created the earth." But that wasn't such an all fired big job. All it required was a little mud mixed with criticism.

BUILD COUNTY SALE PAVILION

To Stimulate Live Stock Raising Is Jasper County's Aim.

Jasper, Mo., March 1.—A $50,000 memorial hall and livestock pavilion is in project here.

Its promoters are confident that the construction of a building to serve as the headquarters for the breed interests will greatly stimulate live-stock production throughout Jasper county.

To make profit-producing seed stock available for the farmers of the county, the farm bureau officers are encouraging reputable breeders to hold their annual sales in the county. Last year a Lawrence county breeder of Poland-China swine was encouraged to sell his surplus here. He consigned 103 head to this sale and received more than $14,000 for them. Fully 50 per cent of the consignment was purchased by Jasper county farmers. Similarly an outside breeder sold 73 head of Holstein cattle at public sale and fully one-half of the herd was taken by Jasper county men.

In 1348-50, 25,000,000 deaths from the plague, or "black death," occurred which was one-fourth of the entire population of the world at that time.

Chinese thieves are compelled to perambulate the neighboring villages with a board, bearing an account of their offense, fastened around their necks.

The average length of life in the sixteenth century was only twenty-one years, while in this, the twentieth century, the average life is forty-five years.

Cambric was first introduced into England during the reign of Queen Elizabeth. It is said that the first piece imported was presented to the queen to make a ruff for her neck.

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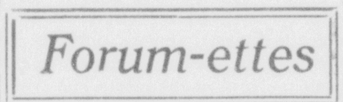

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Business Girls Hold Merrymaking.

The Business Girl's League will give a "kid" party Monday night, March 3, at the high school. All members are asked to be present in costume for the occasion and ready to take part in an impromptu program.

Here From Kansas City.

Mrs. E. B. Sheldon of Kansas City, arrived in Maryville today noon, to spend a few days visiting. While here she will be the guest of Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve, at the Van Cleve home on West Fourth street.

Linville-Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. J .T. Linville of West Second street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Elfreida, to Mr. Clarence Edward Cook at Chicago Saturday, Feb. 22. Mr. and Mrs. Cook will be at home for the present in New York City where Mr. Cook is studying at a school of dramatic art. The bride had been visiting at Wichita, Kan., for several weeks previous to her marriage.

Davis-Wells.

Miss Opal Katherine Davis, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis of Skidmore and Mr. Noble Wells of Rushville, were married Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Devers. The ceremony was performed at noon by the Rev. D. F. Harrison. Immediately after the ceremony, a bountiful wedding dinner was served. Mr. Wells and his bride left on the Tuesday afternoon train for Rushville where they will be at home on the groom's farm.

Farewell Party for Shaws .

A few of the neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shaw and their daughter, Marguerite of Skidmore, gathered at their home Tuesday evening to have a farewell visit before the departure of the family for their new home in Michigan. The guests brought refreshments and all spent a delightful evening. Those present were Mrs. J. M. Charles, Mrs. H. N. McDaniel, Mrs. Susan Miller, Mrs. James Newton, Miss Jessie McClain and Miss Zula Horn.

Return From California.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Bellows returned at noon today from Los Angeles, Cal., where they have been visiting Mrs. Bellows' mother and sister, Mrs. J. F. Douglas and daughter, Miss Nelle, and Mr. Bellows' sister, Miss Clara Bellows at Banning, Cal. A few weeks ago they were joined at Los Angeles, by Mrs. James Schaack of Seattle, Wash., a sister of Mr. Bellows, and Miss Bellows came over from Banning and all spent the time in Los Angeles together. Mrs. Douglas has been in very poor health but her condition now is slightly improved and she is stronger than she has been for some months.

Mrs. Fred Wallace Hostess.

Mrs. Fred Wallace entertained the Merry Minglers club Thursday afternoon at her country home east of the city. The afternoon was spent with needlework and several delightful piano numbers were given by Mrs. Fisher Mercer and Miss Mary Bowman. Mrs. Wallace was assisted in serving refreshments by Miss Mary Bowman. Those present were Mrs. Fisher Mercer, Mrs. H. Smock, Mrs. Lewis Wilson, Miss Nettie Smock, Miss Clara Stein, Misses Theresa and Minnie Jaeger, Miss Mary Bowman, Forest Edmon Wallace, Ralph Edwin Mercer, Miss Garnet Pike and Miss Ruth Fisher. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Lewis Wilson March 13.

Dance and Supper Party.

A party of young folks who enjoyed a dance in the W. O. W. hall last night followed by a supper at Reuillard's was composed of Miss Edna Zimmerman, Miss Virginia Lawson, Miss Doris Cummings, Miss Daisy Allen, Miss Ola Zimmerman, Miss Vera McDowell, Fay Myrtle Lanning. Ernest Kessler, Fay Allen, Arlie Robey, Ferd Masters, Glen Hornbuckle, Harold Hise and James Cummings.

Gard Children Given Surprise.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gard of Ravenwood were given a farewell surprise party Thursday night by the boys and girls classes of the Ravenwood Christian Sunday School. The evening was spent with games and refreshments were served. The Gard family ,with the exception of the eldest son, who is going to Iowa, will move with their parents to Gentry county next week. The young folks in the party were Sylvia Rogers, Clara Dack, Eva Loomis, Frona and Minnie Messner, Beulah Morton, Fay Willis, Gertrude Horton, Louie Harris, Mildred Hubbell, Mona and Georgia Farr, Edith Holtsclaw, Myrtle Jaspers, Fleta Loch, Jennie Ringgold, Opal McLaughlin, Edna Brown, Edith Stockstill, Edna Bradley, Wilma Jackson, Maund Winters, Irene Hanks, Hettie Loomis, Nellie Gard, Myrtle Craig, Grace Buholts, Gladys Horton. Charles Buholts, Cleveland Spoonemore, Claude Loch, Emmett Messner, Marvin Moss, Leo McKee, Fred Winters, Donald Henry, Claude Danford, Frank Garrett, Marion, Herbert, Glen, William and Robert Gard, and Mrs. John Buholts.

Recuperating from Operation.

Miss Josie Mozingo, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Mozingo, living in the Mt. Ayr neighborhood, is at St. Francis hospital, recuperating from an operation which she underwent Wednesday. She is recovering steadily.

Teachers Home for Visit.

Miss Vera Hughes, who is teaching in the high school at Oregon, Mo., and Miss Gladys Owen, a teacher in the Forest City schools, came to Maryville last night to spend the week-end with home folks.

Influenza and kindred diseases start with a cold.

Don't trifle with it. At the first shiver or sneeze, take

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Whoopee! Here's a Drink Which Cheers But Does Not Inebriate!

Washington, March 1.—It is hard to have to do this, but it might just as well be done frankly—there is no balm for the hard drinker in "Yerbe Mate," the Paraguayan tea. Recently at a dinner in New York it was announced that this beverage would come within the strictest specifications of the Prohibition law, but that, while it is had no alcohol, a "kick" reposed within a brew from its leaves.

It's all wrong, according to Washington's scientists, who have been called upon to answer all sorts of questions about drinks since the eighteenth amendment was ratified. They have even been asked whether the law permits the manufacture of 2 per cent beer, which is a persistent rumor, but which legislative and revenue experts, rather than scientists, do not take seriously.

But as for "Yerbe Mate," as has been said of its cousin Oolong, "it cheers but does not inebriate." Now if it does not inebriate it is quite certain there can be no "kick" in it. Ask any drinker!

"Yerbe Mate" is a popular drink in South America, where John Barleycorn never had such influence as in this country. It is sipped, just like Oriental tea, and is declared to be even more palatable and soothing. If you have a craving for exhiliration or stimulation without intoxicaion, and without injurious effects attendupon the use of the more powerful drinks and drugs, it is suggested that "Yerbe Mate" will fill the bill. Of course, this is what the chemists say who have tested it, and who also add that its stimulating ingredients will drive away the blues.

Discussion of "Yerbe Mate" led to many interesting features of man's search for something to cheer him up. This particular study of man shows that no matter where he lives, whether on the banks of the Euphrates or in the crowded capitals of Europe and the Americas, or in the wilds of Africa, or in the heart of India, man will have a stimulant. It may not always be in the form of a liquid, for sometimes it is smoked, as is the opium of the Chinese, or that most cherished of all weeds, tobacco; and again it may be eaten, as is that sweetened preparation of hemp leaves known as hang in its Turkish form, called hasheesh.

Whatever the name or form or method devised for taking it into the human system, the effects produced are more or less alike; and the worst feature of all these intoxicating inventions of man is that they are habit-forming in their effects and invariably lead to intemperance in their use.

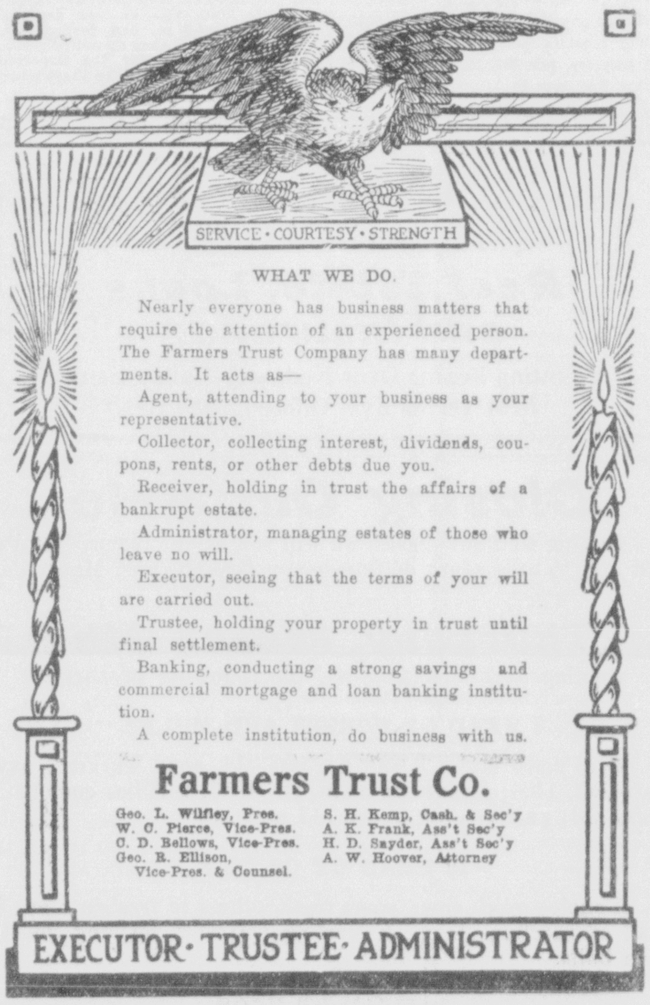
Fortunately, however, there are a few products of nature that ,when properly prepared, will largely satisfy this craving for that after-effect produced by alcoholic liquor. It is in this connection chemists of South America have urged that "Yerbe Mate" be adopted.

You prepare it just as you would the Oriental tea. In South America they generally prepare it by boiling the water in a teapot to the boiling point, then add a quantity of the "Mate"—proportioned to suit the taste and strength desired—allow it to boil for a few minutes and then pour in sufficient cold water to stop the boiling and to settle the fine particles much as coffee grounds are settled in boiling coffee, and the tea is then ready to be served in cups. One may add a little sugar, a small quantity of milk or a little lemon juice, but the inveterate "Mate" drinker takes his straight.

It is sold in the principal grocery stores in this country, and over 50,000 tons were exported from South America last year. In view of the fact that America will be without its principal stimulant, it is expected that "Yerbe Mate" will take its place, not as an intoxicating stimulant, but as an exhilirating concoction, it was explained today.

Hara-kiri is a Japanese method of suicide. Since 1868, when the Japanese feudal system was abolished, harakiri has fallen almost entirely into disuse, but it is occasionally practiced. The last prominent Japanese to commit hara-kiri were Baron Nogi and his wife, in 1912, because they did not wish to live after the death of their emperor Mutsuhito.

Locomotives and tractor plows have been introduced in Palestine.



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Go to Church Tomorrow

The announcements of various Churches printed herewith are invitations to you to attend their services.

Methodist.

First Methodist, Main and First streets Dr. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. There will be a specially prepared missionary program at this hour. Preaching services at 10:45 o'clock, subject of pastor's sermon "The Stewardship of Prosperity." Choir anthem, "He Was Despised of Men." (Hosmer). Epworth League at 6:30 o'clock, Miss Hart, leader. Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. Anthem, "Savior Breathe an Evening Blessing." (Raff). Mixed quartette, "Guardian Angel." (Randigger).

Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian, Main and Jenkins, Dr. S. A. Coile, pastor.—Sunday school at 10 o'clock, C. Edwin Wells superintendent. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, with sermon by pastor, subject, "A Sunlit Church." Anthem, "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes." Evening worship at 1:30 o'clock, subject of pastor's sermon, "The Heart's Cry." A special musical program will be given.

Baptist.

First Baptist, corner Market and Jenkins, W. C. Ferguson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock, I. E. Tebow, superintendent. Preaching services at 11o'clock with sermon by pastor, subject, "A Fresh Start." Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock, subject of sermon, "Law and Grace."

Scientist.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 206 South Main street.—Sunday school at 9:30. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon, "Christ Jesus." There are no Sunday night services. Mid-week prayer service each Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Reading room in church building open every Wednesday and Saturday afternoon and visitors are welcome at all times to the use of the reading room and to all services.

South Methodist.

Methodist Episcopal, South, Second and Buchanan streets, R. C. Holliday, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock a. m. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, with sermon by pastor from the subject, "The Acid Test." Epworth League at 6:30 o'clock, Miss Orvilla Campbell, leader. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock, sermon subject, "The Foolishness of Preaching." Minute men will speak at each service.

Christian.

First Christian, Buchanan and Third streets. Bible school at 9:30 o'clock. A primary day program will be given under the direction of Mrs. Harry Todd. There will be no preaching services. Christian Endeavor service at 6:30 o'clock.

Catholic.

St. Patrick's, Buchanan and First, Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass at 10 o'clock.

St. Mary's, South Davis street, Rev. Father Odillo Scheiber, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass with hymns at 10 o'clock.

In the early part of the sixteenth century mirrors first became articles of household furniture and decoration. Previous to that time—from the twelfth to the end of the fifteenth century—pocket mirrors or small hand mirrors, carried at the girdle, were adjuncts to ladies' toilettes.

To Visit in St. Joseph.

Mrs. G. B .Holmes went to St. Joseph yesterday to spend the week end visiting her son, Dan Holmes, and family.

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One of the earliest and heaviest yielding potatoes known. It is round in shape, with a pinkish colored jacket and the cooking qualities are superior to any other early potato known today.

Price, freight paid:

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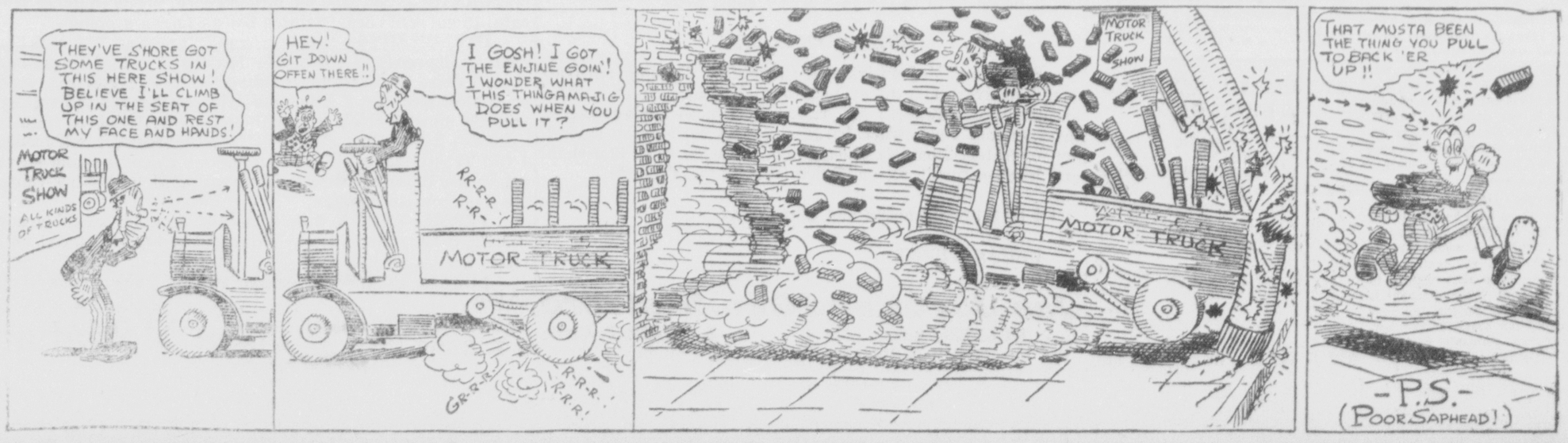
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MOTOR TRUCK SHOW
ALL KINDS OF TRUCKS
HEY! GIT DOWN OFFEN THERE!!
I GOSH! I GOT THE ENJINE GOIN'! I WONDER WHAT THIS THINGAMAJIG DOES WHEN YOU PULL IT?
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MOTOR TRUCK
R-R-R-R-R-
MOTOR TRUCK SHOW
MOTOR TRUCK
THAT MUSTA BEEN THE THING YOU PULL TO BACK 'ER UP!!
-P.S.-
(POOR SAPHEAD!)

Put On The Left Shoe First

They all said it—Doughboy, Poilu, and Tommy—and clinging to that bit of trench superstition, they believed it brought good luck for the day—and longer life in the shelled racked stretch about them.

But in these fairer, happier days, when peace whirls the wheels of motordom again, we say,

"Put on the *right* shoe first."

And, of course, the right shoe, is the Goodrich Shoe, because it means good luck day and night, and longer life in your tires.

But there's no superstition about it; only the big, husky body, and the wide, thick BLACK SAFETY TREAD, Goodrich builds into tires that—

Round out the dependability and durability of Goodrich Service Value.

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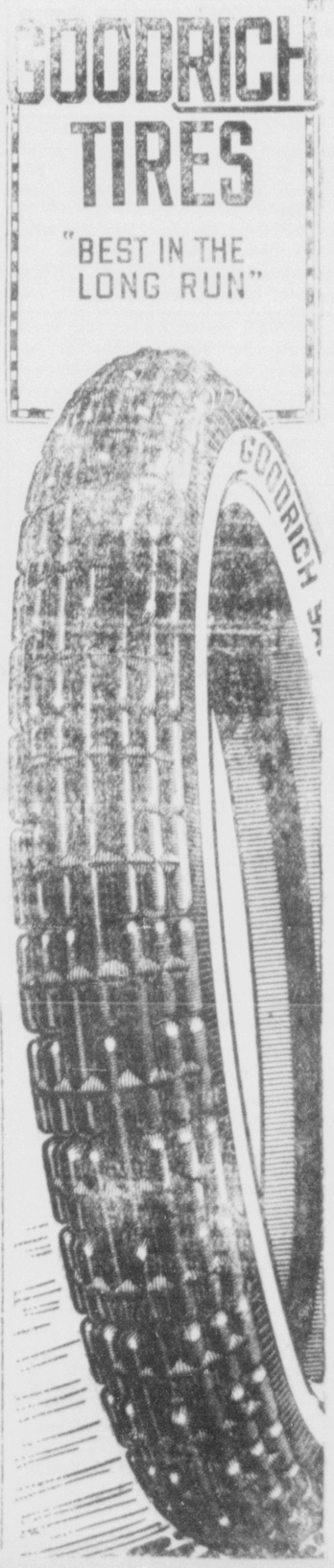

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Gasoline stove. Call Hosick Holmes, Hanamo 472. 1tf

S. C. BUFF Leghorn eggs, good laying strain, $1.00 per setting, $5.00 per 100. Mrs. Allen Henry, Burlington Junction, Mo. Phone Clearmont 23-20. 20-3-4.

FOR SALE—Good gentle milch cow, half Jersey, half Shorthorn, bred to Shorthorn bull, gives 1½ gallons milk a day now. Also bull calf a few days old. Marion F. Smith, Democrat-Forum agent, 4 miles east of town. 51-20.

FOR SALE—Buffet kitchen cabinet and gasoline stove. Call Hosick Holmes, Hanamo 472. 21-tf

FOR SALE—Knabe upright piano, largest size made; A-1 condition, mahogany carved case. Mrs. E. L. Townsend, 219 West Second St. F-27tf

NOW READY with a full line of garden seeds, both bulk and package, onion sets, pure Early Ohio seed potatoes, Field seed a specialty. I also handle shorts, oil meal, chicken feed, including Purina Chicken Chowder, oyster shell, sugar, flour, crackers, fresh bread and a small line of up-to-date groceries. R. S. Braniger. 26tf

FOR SALE—Set of light work harness, good shape. C. S. Ellis, 1 mile north of town. 27-1*

FOR SALE—Ford cylinder block, crank case, magneto; cheap if taken at once. Clark's machine Shop. 27-1*

FOR SALE—Small wood cook stove, 321 South Market St. 27-1*

FOR SALE or rent: 4 lots with 5-room house; cave and out buildings, at the corner of Vine and Grant. Farmers phone 52-0-12. 27-29*

FOR SALE—2 acre tract close in, 5 room house, good condition and full basement; good outbuildings. W. W. McDonald, end of North Mulberry St. 27-1*

FOR SALE—6 room cottage, modern throughout. Mrs. W. C. Johnston, 301 East Third St. 27-1

FOR SALE—320 acres improved, relinquishment, fine level land, 9½ miles from town of 2,000 population. No agents need apply. Write E. E. Turner, 1497 Pine St., Pueblo, Colo. 1-4*

BATTERIES—at 75c per pair, brand new Red Seal batteries—the best you can buy, for telephone and automobiles.—ELMER A. HOLT IMPLEMENT CO. 28-3.

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR RENT—Furnished room for a school girl at 616 North Fillmore. Call Hanamo 6667. tf

WHY PAY RENT?—Your rent money will buy a farm in Northeastern Colorado, $16 per acre, up. Good terms. Geo. H. Meek. 24-1*

LOST—On streets, Knights Templar charm. Reward if returned to this office. 27-1

WANTED—A single farm hand at once. Phone Hanamo 2L. 27-1

WANTED TO BUY—Your discarded wood silo. W. H. Parton, Franklin Hotel. 28-3*

FOR RENT—House, barn and about three acres on north Main Street. Good improvements. See S. H. Kemp. 1-4*

FOR SALE—Pure bred Plymouth Rock eggs $1.00 per setting; $5.00 per hundred. J. A. Britton. Farmers phone Burlington Junction. 1-4*

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many kind friends and neighbors for the assistance and sympathy extended us in our recent great bereavement. Also for the beautiful floral offerings. Mrs. Thos. Royston and children. 1*

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Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 35 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable

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ROUSES HENS FROM INACTION

Theory as to Benefit of Use of Artificial Illumination Would Seem to Be Plausible.

How can artificial illumination have any effect on egg production, is the question being asked by some skeptical poultrymen who have never made any tests.

The answer is, according to the workers in poultry husbandry at the New York state college of agriculture, that the light appears to equalize the time between meals and to shorten the period of inactivity of the fowls during the long nights.

The long nights of the late fall and winter months apparently cause the fowls to use a larger proportion of the night feed for bodily needs than would be the case under normal conditions in the springtime, when the days and the nights are of practically equal length.

At the time of the year when fowls lay the most eggs in New York state—the months of April, May and June—the days and the nights are approximately of equal length. Under these conditions, fowls appear to assimilate their feed, secure the proper amount of exercise, and form their eggs to best advantage.

The latter part of December there are about fifteen hours of darkness and nine hours of daylight, whereas in the latter part of June the reverse is true—there are approximately fifteen hours of daylight and nine hours of darkness.

In other words, illumination attempts to imitate spring conditions so far as the hours of activity and the regulation of feed supply are concerned.

CROW IS ENEMY OF FARMER

Under Modern Conditions There Seems Little Reason for the Bird's Continued Existence.

The record of the crow is like its coat—about as black as black can be—a writer in Detroit Free Press says. It may be that in the great plan of nature, some time in the past, the crow served a useful purpose—likewise the hawk and the buzzard. Take the buzzard, for example. Once protected by human laws everywhere because useful for removing carrion, the stench of which offended the nostrils of all animal life, it is now outlawed, because man realizes that it is better to burn or bury the dead—leaving no excuse for the existence of the disease-carrying buzzard. So, in the beginning, the mission of the crow, we may conjecture, was to preserve some equilibrium, some balance in the economy of nature. It may be he was placed here to hold in check the weed seed and grain eating birds, because weeds were a factor in the past in covering the waste places of the earth and making them fertile. However that may have been, there seems to be no excuse for his existence now since man, the agriculturist, seeds the waste places to useful grains and grasses and needs the help of the insectiverous birds.

Tokyo to Treble Its Population.

If plans adopted by a special committee are carried out, Tokyo will become a city with an area of 226 square miles—a startling contrast to its present area of 30 square miles. The Tokyo Asahi claims that the absorption of the score of suburban cities, some of which the editor says possess larger populations than other principal cities, excepting Osaka, Yokohama, Kobe, Kyoto and Nagoya, will make Tokyo the largest city in the world. Suburban Tokyo now includes the populous residential and industrial communities of Shinagawa, Meguro, Shibuya, Harajuku, Yodobashi, Nakano, Osaki, Sugamo and many others. These towns are no longer suburbs, but parts of Greater Tokyo, and the movement is to bring them under one administration.

Old New Year's Day.

The act for the change of style provided that the legal year in England, 1752, should commence, not on the 25th of March, but on the first of January, and that after the third of September in that year, the next ensuing day should be held as the 14th, thus dropping out 11 days. A similar change was made about the same time in Sweden and Tuscany, and Russia and Greece are now the only countries using the old style. The years 1800 and 1900, not being considered by us as leap years, have interjected two more days, actually making the difference 13 days between old and new style.

Will Not Read Bible in Schools.

The Atlanta board of education at a recent regular meeting reversed its action which ordered the reading of the Bible and repeating the Lord's prayer in the public schools of the city. This action was taken by the board after having heard read the address of the late Senator Joseph E. Brown, war governor of Georgia and the first president of the Atlanta board of education, which was delivered in 1873, and in which the Georgia senator delivered an argument against enforcing the use of the Bible in the schools.

Lawyer's Humor.

Mr. Hohenzollern says he prefers not to think of his exit from Germany as a "flight." While we would like to agree with William, we cannot help thinking of a phrase that occurrs in real estate leases. When a tenant is thrown out for not paying his rent or for abusing the premises the lawyers call it "an amicable action in ejectment."—Collier's Weekly.

Tell me not in mournful numbers that our merchants are unwise,
'Tis the business man that slumbers who will never advertise.
Life is real, life is earnest, and if biz goes to the bad,
See that quickly thou returnest to D-F Want Ads.

Keen enjoyment and not sorrow will be galloping your way,
If you wait not 'til the morrow, but will advertise today.
Art is long and time is fleeting; just be nervy and keep brave;
If your rivals you'd be beating, make want ads your steady slaves.

In Nodaway's broad field of battle, be a big gun midst the strife,
Arm yourself with D-F Want Ads, it will pay you betcherlife.
Trust no future, howe'er pleasant, take no chance of luck ahead,
With no advertisements present, how can business but be dead?

Lives of business men remind us, you can have the luck they've had;
If you'll have your nerve behind you and will play a D-F Want Ad.
You should then be up and doing, if you're going to grab the cash,
If your ad the world is viewing, you will never go to smash.

ASKS DIVORCE FROM WIFE.

Asa C. Lee in Petition Filed Today, Charges Adultery.

Asa C. Lee filed suit for divorce in circuit court this morning from his wife, Nellie M. Lee, charging adultery and immorality. In his petition Lee states that they were married in North Dakota in 1903 and lived together until last August when his wife went to St. Joseph and refused to return to his home. He asks the care of their minor child, Edith.

Granted Marriage License.

A marriage license was granted at St. Joseph Thursday to Miss Bernus O. Johnson of Skidmore and Dewey C. Surdez of Onaga, Kan.

Marriage Licenses Issued.

Marriage licenses were issued today at St. Joseph to Lee Davis of Maitland and Miss Minnie Blake of Graham, and Walter A. Crenshaw and Miss Mary Tracy, both of Parnell.

AUTO BANDITS GET $5,000.

Chicago, Mar. 1.—Four automobile bandits held up saloon owner here today securing five thousand dollars.

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MOTHERS, DO THIS—

When the Children Cough, Rub Musterole on Throats and Chests

No telling how soon the symptoms may develop into croup, or worse. And then's when you're glad you have a jar of Musterole at hand to give prompt, sure relief. It does not blister.

As first aid and a certain remedy, Musterole is excellent. Thousands of mothers know it. You should keep a jar in the house, ready for instant use.

It is the remedy for adults, too. Relieves sore throat, bronchitis, tonsilitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, chilblains, frosted feet and colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).

30c and 60c jars; hospital size $2.50.

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Dress pleating, hemstitching, and picot edging, cloth covered buttons. Prompt service in all departments. Mail orders received one day will be returned the next.

Write for price list.

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MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

St. Joseph, Mar. 1.—No cattle market.

HOGS—Receipts, 900; top, $17.65 — steady. No sheep market.

Kansas City, Mar. 1.—CATTLE — Receipts, 250—no market.

HOGS—Receipts, 400; top, $17.40; bulk same.

Kansas City, Mar. 1.—CORN—Mar., $1.33¾; May, $1.28½; July, $1.24⅝.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, per dozen	30c
Hides, per lb	12c
Hens, per pound	22c
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per lb	15c
Turkeys, per lb	17c@25c
Young roosters, per lb	18c
Old roosters, per lb	14c
Butter Fat, per lb	50c

THE MEN IN CLASS A1

A sound, healthy man is never a back number. A man can be as vigorous and able at seventy as at twenty. Condition, not years, puts you in the discard. A system weakened by overwork and careless living brings old age prematurely. The bodily functions are impaired and unpleasant symptoms appear. The weak spot is generally the kidneys. Keep them clean and in proper working condition and you will generally find yourself in Class A. Take GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules periodically and your system will always be in working order. Your spirits will be enlivened, your muscles supple, your mind active, and your body capable of hard work.

Don't wait until you have been rejected. Commence to be a first-class man now. Go to your druggist at once. Get a trial box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. They are made of the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil—the kind your great-grandfather used. Two capsules each day will keep you toned up and feeling fine. Money refunded if they do not help you. Remember to ask for the imported GOLD MEDAL Brand. In three sizes, sealed packages.

The average life of a locomotive is about fifteen years.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

Real Estate, Loans and Insurance

Counting Rooms Over Nodaway Valley Bank
Best Terms Ever Offered—See Us.

Closing Out Sale

Having sold our places, we will sell at our farms, ½ mile east and ½ mile south of Engelmann Greenhouses, Maryville, on

Thursday, March 6th

starting at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property:

7 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES

Pair mare mules 8 and 9 years old, good workers; bay mare, wt. 1400; 4-year-old mare, wt. 1300; 2 fillies coming 3 years old; pair coming 2-year-old mules.

19 HEAD OF CATTLE

8 choice milch cows, some fresh, others to freshen soon; 8 head of yearling steers; 1 yearling heifer; 2 yearling Shorthorn bulls.

14 HEAD OF HOGS

7 brood sows to pig in April; 7 stock hogs.

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

2 mowers, McCormick and Champion; 2 riding cultivators; 2 cultivators; 2 discs; 2 harrows; 2 breaking plows; lister and drill; hay rake; 2 hay racks; hog rack; spring wagon; farm wagon; 2 sets work harness; 2 buggies; manure spreader; separator; 2 barrels vinegar; hedge posts; some household and kitchen furniture, and 1,000 OTHER ARTICLES.

6 or 8 tons Timothy and Clover Hay.

USUAL TERMS.

Jas. Joyce and Geo. Stafford

R. P. HOSMER, Auct. S. H. KEMP, Clerk.
This Sale Starts at One O'clock, Prompt.

Public Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public sale at my farm, 1½ miles south of Clearmont, 4½ miles northeast of Burlington Junction, on

Wednesday, March 5

Commencing at 12 o'clock noon, the following property:

5 HEAD OF HORSES—Consisting of 1 bay horse coming 7 years old, weight about 1200; 1 roan horse 4 years old, wt. about 1100; 2 coming 2-year-old colts; 1 coming yearling colt.

CATTLE—1 registered Shorthorn cow; 3 good grade cows, will be fresh soon; 1 Jersey cow coming 8 years old, to be fresh soon; 1 registered Shorthorn bull, 2 years old. This is a red bull from the Beezley & Stitt herd, Clarinda; a few yearling registered Shorthorn bulls, reds and roans, of our own breeding; 3 yearling steers.

70 HEAD OF HOGS—6 Hampshire sows and 4 gilts, bred to farrow about the first of April; 60 head of fall and winter Poland-China shoats.

30 HEAD OF SHEEP—5 registered Shropshire ewes; 1 registered Shropshire buck, and 24 head of high grade ewes, will lamb in March and first of April.

IMPLEMENTS—Wheat drill, Dain vertical lift mower, corn planter with check-row, all complete; 3-section steel harrow, corn drill, 3 cultivators, 1 walking stirring plow, 2 sets work harness and many other articles not mentioned.

TWO OR THREE DOZEN CHICKENS.

USUAL TERMS.

L. L. Hart

Hosmer and Hornbuckle, Aucts. Roy F. Hanna, Clerk.
Lunch on Ground.

Closing Out Public Sale

Having sold my farm known as the Thomas Ranch, I will sell at ranch 5 miles east of Conception Junction, 7 miles northwest of Stanberry and 3½ miles southwest of Alanthus, the following,

Thursday, March 6

5 span good work mules, 2 roan and spotted horses, 2 bay horses, 1 blind mare, 2 saddle ponies. Also one extra good jack and one imported Percheron horse, if not sold before day of sale.

15 to 30 COWS TO BE FRESH SOON.

IMPLEMENTS—Consisting of 4 wagons, 2 discs, 2 corn planters, 1 lister, 1 18-ft. harrow, 1 double row cultivator, 1 John Deere riding cultivator, 1 John Deere walking cultivator, 1 sulky plow, 2 Badger cultivators, 1 iron kettle. Also farm harness, a number of fence posts and a lot of old irons.

Sale to commence at 11 a. m., sharp.

TERMS—Cattle, cash. Balance 6 months with bankable note at 8 per cent interest.

W. A. Thomas, Geo. Messner

Cols. W. E. Petty and Merritt D. Miller, Aucts.
F. & M. Bank, Clerk.

Postponed Sale

On account of the bad weather, I have postponed my closing out sale at my farm 2½ miles north of Wilcox, and will hold it on

Tuesday, March 4

16 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—Pair of horse mules coming 2 years old; 1 gray mare 12 years old, weight 1600; 1 black mare 4 years old, wt. 1300; 1 pair of sorrels, wt. 2300; 1 pair of bay colts coming 3 years old, matched mare and gelding; 1 pair of black geldings coming 2 years old; 1 bay gelding coming 2 years old; 1 black mare coming 3 years old, wt. 1200; 1 suckling colt, a good one. The above described horses and mules are heavy drafters. 1 5-year-old grey horse, wt. 1300; 1 coming 6-year-old gray horse, wt. 1600; 1 4-year-old brown horse, wt. 1400.

CATTLE—2 Jersey milch cows, 1 with calf by side, other to freshen soon; 1 Jersey heifer, heavy springer; 1 2-year-old red heifer, with 2 calves by side.

15 HEAD OF HOGS—Consisting of 8 fall pigs; 2 barrows, wt. about 275 lbs. each; 5 brood sows.

GRAIN—About 150 bu. of good corn; about 75 bu. of seed oats; 15 bu. seed corn. 8 dozen Brown Leghorn pullets.

IMPLEMENTS—Moline wagon; 2 buggies; 2 sets of harness (1 Concord); 1 set of 1¼ harness; 1 set of single harness; 1 John Deere 6-shovel cultivator, new; 1 end gate seeder; 2 steel harrows; 1 lister and drill combined; 1 John Deere stirring plow; 1 Rock Island 16-inch plow; 1 Osborn mowing machine; 1 50-gallon oil tank; 3 sheep bunks; 1 self-feeder; 1 Old Trusty incubator (160-egg, new); 1 good heating stove; 1 4-burner oil stove; dining table, rug and many other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Cash, 3, 6 or 9 months time on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

LUNCH by Wilcox Sunday School. Sale starts at 10 o'clock.

JAS. BRANIGER, Auct.
S. H. KEMP, Clerk.

John McMahan